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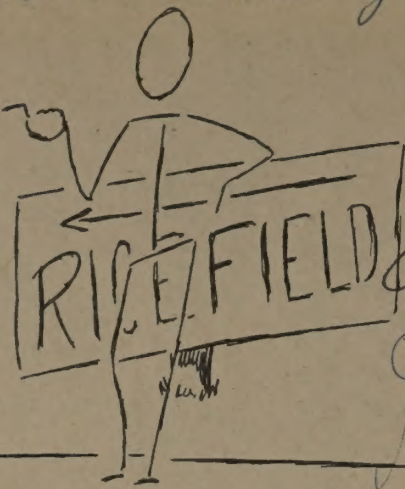
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Lyle Lichtenberges

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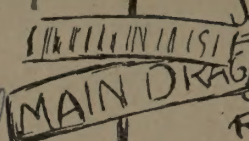
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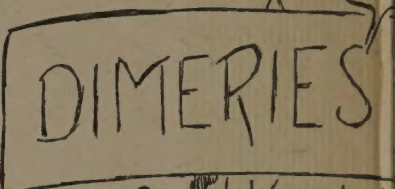
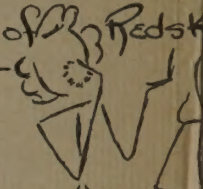
William L. Hershey
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John Swett
Hegner

Marvin Rodwick



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Hardy
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B's office
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Phys. fit. - where 4F's become
Jam Jar - where she meet
Dimeries - gotta git some
Calgreens - supported b
Rice Field - where we use
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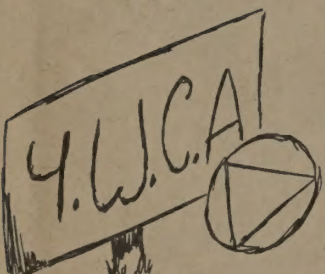


Ray
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"46"

Regina
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John
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Joan Dickerhoff
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Maxine
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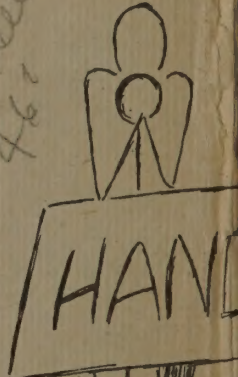
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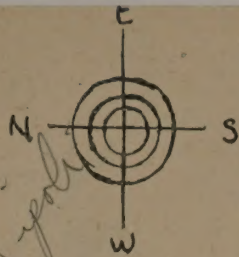
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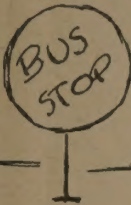
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1945

Paul Wargon #132
HR. 215
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Please return



WALGREENS
stud near

GOSHEN

Frank
Brigant

Jan
Dewhurst
47"

Bill Yinger
46"

Verne Jackson
Kenny Parker
Dolores
Busenburg

Tom
Swihart

Betty Russell
47"

Wade
Lemond
47"

Keith Holmes
47"

Wayne Kling
47"

JAM
JAR #

PHYS. FIT

MAMMY

Bill Miller
Roseann Ball
47"

For Anne Wheeler
"417" "gdy"

Gerald Main
"45"

Gene Nickum
Nielay
"48"

Paul,
Joine
Patrick
"49"

In Our Own Words . . .

Mary M. M. M.
"49"

5-1-50

Jim D. M. M.

Sherry "Mickel"
46

Paul Frederick
"49"

Earl Rosen

"Bobby"

Jan "G. Trick"

Your Physics roommate
Gladys Galbreath

Luis Wilkinson
(Binky)

Cheryl M. M.

Hope Tins

Jim M. M.
(Bobby)

Letter to Michaels
re Mike

6-11-85

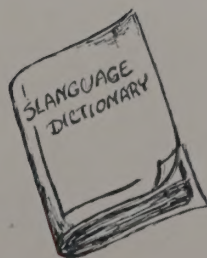
A Remembrance of all the good
times we've had together,
and for the many to
come. always,
Mike xox

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*A slant on the slang
of 1200 young moderns*

at the

Elkhart High School

Elkhart, Indiana



June, 1945







Don't let

our jive talk goof you up . . .

We lip off about everything, whether it's very smooth or
very stinko . . . our slang lingo irritates the ickies . . . mad-
dens our mommas . . . pops out in Latin . . . jumbles up alge-
bra . . . buzzes the lunchroom.

Natch, it confuses the cop on the corner . . . and not to
be a drool, he beats the book to keep up with the jive jargon.

Our words and ways are told in this the . . .

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He's knee deep



in kids...

Maybe you don't either, so we're going to wise you up
(in jive jargon, of course).

We're going to let you in on what we do and what we
think—in our own words.



*but he doesn't know
the score...*

Frame-ups of jive jargon that



Jam session . . .

jars you

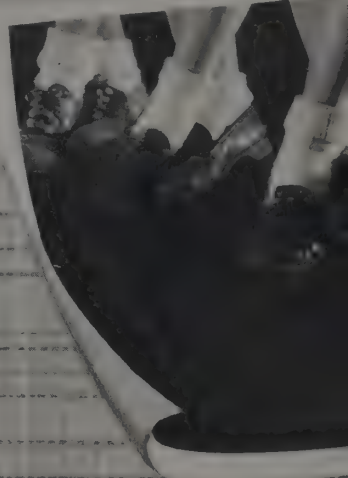
The "brains"...

*those smart chem
students*



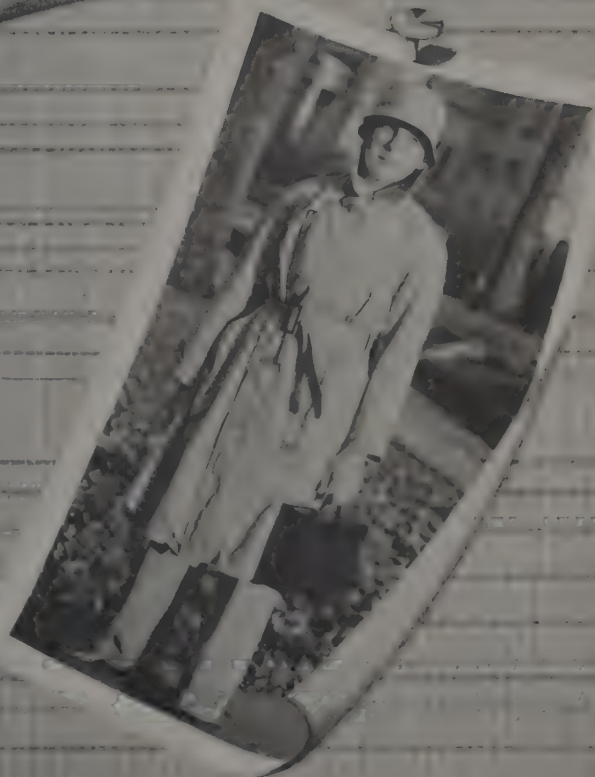
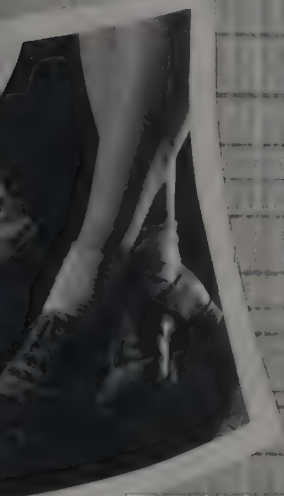
Junior jerks...

very hot cold cuts



Here are the pin-ups of our get-ups...

A few shots of our crazy clothes: socks, sacks, and snoods. Parents seem to object to these outfits; in fact, they nearly drop their cookies.



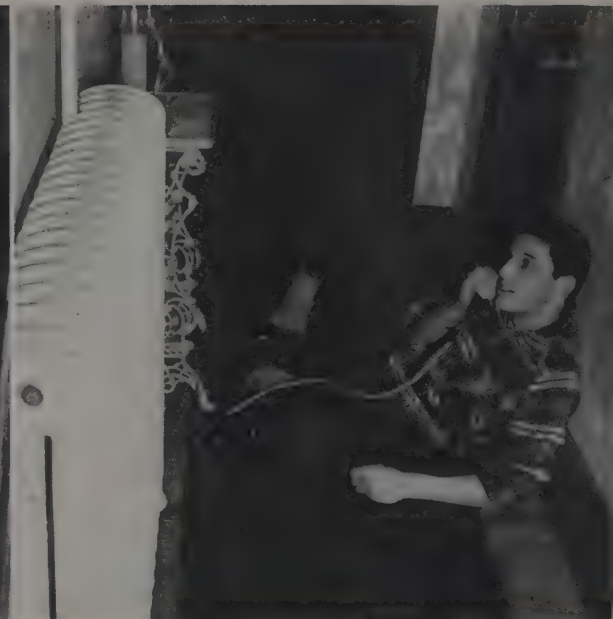
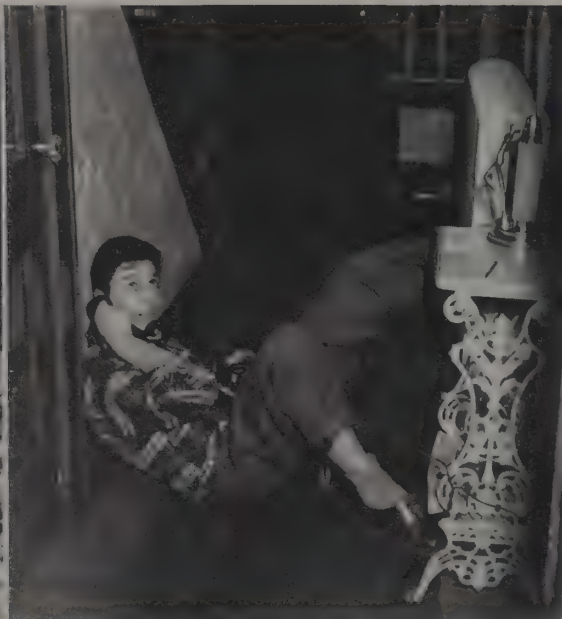


In school or out,

We buzz down to listen to the latest platter or drift into Jenner's or the Handy to satisfy those "I'm simply starving" appetites.

Although grown-ups can't see why, we spend hours phoning the very friends we've been with all day,

Music is a madness.



Phoning is a passion: We regard the family phone as our private property.

we bat around like mad...



In to lunch at the "Y".

snagging a date, checking on homework, or hashing over the day.

Some of us tear home to lunch on our bikes; some of us grab a sandwich most any place, but the Ball-Sykes-Shank gang gathers at the Y.W. for a real feed.

Out to lunch, the bike brigade.



We live on rumors:

The second floor is the
Here we swap the lat-
here we collect in our



Have you heard? . . . A bit of gossip starts . . . travels down the

we exaggerate, we dramatize

main drag: there the day begins; there it ends.

est dope; here we groan, grumble and gripe;

snob mobs.



hall . . . the wolves pick it up . . . it rolls into classrooms

But underneath it all,



At heart, every Joe and Jane is really a good kid. Serious about the war, and about E.H.S. boys in the service, we push bond and stamp sales in homerooms every Tuesday.

Most of all, we are concerned about the future, and about our part in the "One World."

"Gee, the old place looks good."



Home Room 117 pushes stamp sales.

we are really serious...



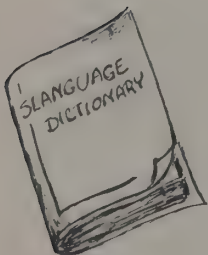
When we say . . .

"Woody is a good boy"

we mean our new principal, C. P. Woodruff is an all right guy: he's one of us: he speaks our language. And when we say school is a grind, we're just sounding off; old, dirty and crowded—it is alive and we love the place.

And although we crab about lessons and teachers and criticize when they squeeze in a sermon along with the learnin', we agree that they're pretty swell.

Add one super principal, sixty swell teachers, twelve hundred cagey kids, and you have



The School





Superintendent Harold H. Church.

Administration:

Under the supervision of our superintendent, Dr. Harold H. Church, our school has seen many modern improvements. An enlarged and improved curriculum, added equipment and recently, more attention to the recreational needs of the youth of the city are a few of the advancements which have taken place in the past year.

The unseen power behind all our progress is the Board of Education. This board is composed of Mr. Vard W. Frederick, president; Dr. L. F. Swihart, secretary; and Mr. J. L. Ullery, treasurer.

*Senior Counselor, Miss Sharp; Junior Counselor, Miss Kirkland;
Sophomore Counselor, Miss Jarvis.*

Despite their increased responsibilities, the counseling staff continues to give each student the help and guidance which his individual needs require.



executives, guides

This year the principal's position is being filled by a new personality, Mr. C. P. Woodruff. In the short time that he has been here, he has proved himself to be a capable leader. He has been confronted with many problems during his first year at Elkhart High School but he has handled them all efficiently. Under the leadership of these men and women, the citizens of Elkhart should feel, as the pupils of Elkhart High School do, that in the future our school will become an even better institution of learning than it is today.



*Principal C. P. Woodruff and
Assistant Principal Dean B. Smith.*

Mr. E. T. Organ, Vocational Counselor.

*Boys' counselors: Mr. Lester Kerr,
Mr. Richard Gemmecke, Mr. Ivan Gill.*



The Faculty

ADAMS, NORVAL E. B.S., M.S.
Biology, Chairman of Biology Department.

AGNEW, RUTH B.A.
English, Dramatics.

AMSBAUGH, ANNA B.A.
Home Economics.

ANDERSON, CARL J. B.S.
Pattern Making, General Shop, Mechanical Drawing.

AVERY, FRANCES B.A., Professor's
Degree in French.
Latin, English.

BERKEY, HARRISON B.A.
Physical Fitness, Physical Education,
Football Coach.

BOOK, ORPHA B.A., B.L.S.
Librarian.

BOONE, ZELLA B.A.
Geometry, Mathematics.

BROUGHTON, RUTH B.A., M.A.
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Department.

BUSCHE, LOUISE B.A., M.A.
English.

CARLSON, LORETTA B.P.S.M.
Associate Director of Instrumental Music.

CART, FLORA B.S.
Director of Girls' Athletics, Instructor
of Girls' Physical Education.

CATHCART, STELLA B.A., M.A.
Physics.

CLENDENEN, GERTRUDE B.A., M.A.
English.

COLE, EVA
Art, Chairman of Art Department.

CORNS, DORIS B.S.
Choir.

DEAL, JUNE B.S.
Commerce.

DEPEW, BERTHA B.S., M.A.
Clothing, Home Furnishing, Foods,
Home Nursing, Chairman of Home
Economics Department.

EVANS, CLIFFORD B.S., I.E.
Vocational Machine Shop.

FOSTER, JAMES B.S.
Industrial Arts.

FOX, ALICE B.A., M.A.
Mathematics.

FRENCH, DOYLE M.S.
Mathematics, Algebra, Testing, Chair-
man of Mathematics Department.

GEMMECKE, RICHARD M.A.
American Problems, Counsellor, Chair-
man of History Department.

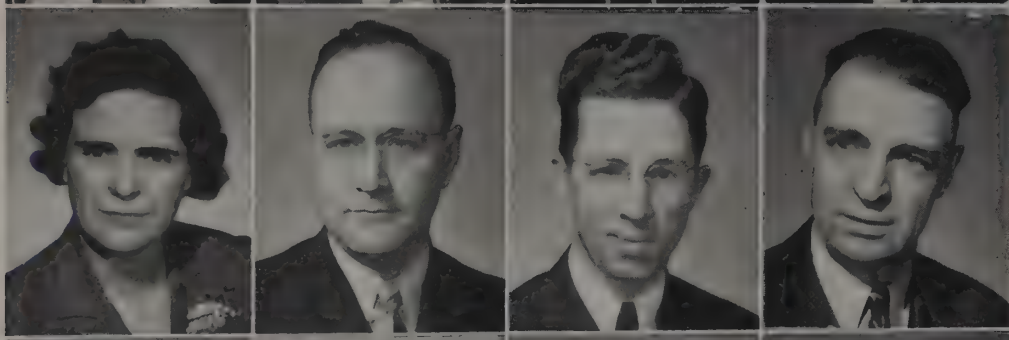
GILL, IVAN C. B.S., M.S.
Chemistry, Counsellor, Chairman of
Chemistry Department.

GLENDENING, MELVIN M.S.
Typing, Clerical Practice, Commercial
Law, Chairman-Treasurer of Extra Cur-
ricular Activities.

HAMILTON, WILLIAM B.S.
General Shop, Mechanical Drawing.

HART, GLENN B.S.
Machine Shop, General Shop.

HILL, FLORENCE Ed. B., Ph. B.
History.



W. Berkey

Ruth Agnew

Gertrude Clendenen

Alice Fox

W. Hamilton

Glenn Hart

Elkhart High School

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Director of Instrumental Music.

JARVIS, KATHRYN B.A.
Geometry, Consumer Mathematics,
Counsellor.

JORDAN, RILEY B.A., M.A.
History, Business Manager of Athletics.

KELLY, DOROTHY B.A., M.A.
English, Writing Laboratory, Publica-
tions.

KERR, LESTER B.S., M.A.
Mathematics.

KILBERT, HOWARD B.M. of Ed.
Associate Director of Instrumental
Music.

KING, GLADYS B.A.
Spanish, Review Mathematics.

KIRKLAND, HELEN Ph.B., M.A.
Shorthand, Transcription, Counsellor,
Vocational Merchandising.

KINS, VIRGIL B. Ed., M.S.
Physics, Pre-flight Aeronautics, Visual
Education, Chairman of Physics De-
partment.

LONGFELLOW, JOHN B.A.
Physical Fitness, Physical Education,
Basketball Coach, Chairman of Physical
Education and Athletics.

MATER, WILBUR B.A.
History, American Problems.

ORGAN, E. T.
Blue Print Reading, Co-ordinator War
Production Training, Chairman of Vo-
cational Department.

PATTON, ZORA B.A.
Foods, Clothing.

RONZONE, MATTHEW B.S., M.S.
Physical Fitness, Physical Education,
Assistant Coach.

SANDS, W. E. B.A., M.A.
History.

SAWYER, MARGUERITE B.A., M.A.
Latin, English.

SCHEIDLER, HELEN B. of Ed.
Shorthand, Typing, Business English.

SHARP, MARIE B.A., M.A.
English, Counsellor.

SICKELS, ADA Ph.B.
English.

SINER, MARIE B.A., M.A.
Bookkeeping, Commercial Geography.

SORENSEN, RAYMOND B.A.
Physical Fitness, Tennis Coach.

SPROULL, RAYMOND B.A., M.S.
American Problems.

UPDIKE, GLENN B.S., M.S.
Physics, Biology.

WAGONER, EVELYN B.A.
Biology.

WENGER, GALEN B.A., M.A.
English, Speech, Radio.

WILEY, J. F. B.A., M.A.
English.

WISE, SALOME B.P.E.
Physical Education.

WOODRUFF, G. L., B.S.
Drafting, Printing, General Shop.



A soph enrolls...

This little greenie is learning the ropes as all new entering sophs do. His counsellor advises him about the courses in our widely-varied curriculum which will help him most in whatever he plans to do in the future. After this talk, a new student enrolls with his homeroom teacher, and begins to follow his daily program.

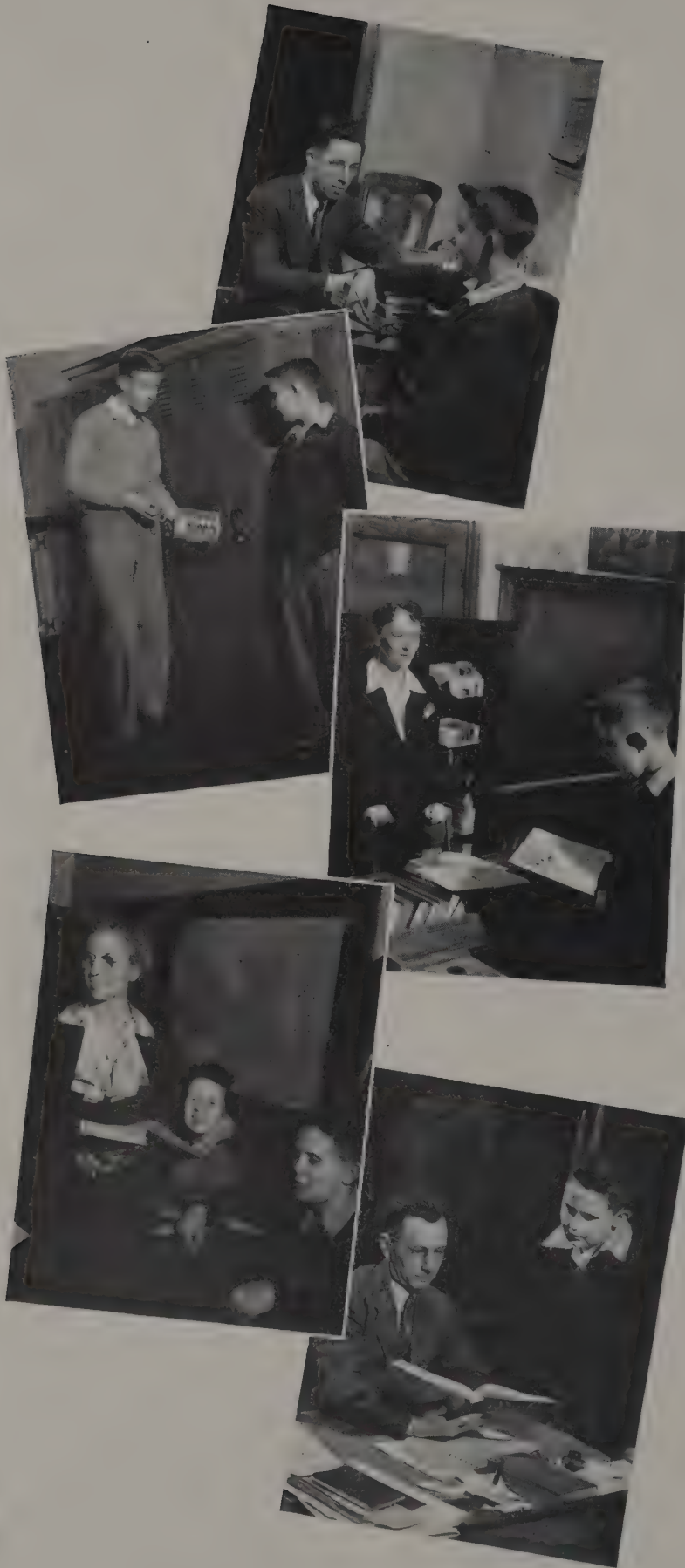
Jim Esberg, a shall we say typical ? sophomore, learns about lockers from Osborne . . .

struggles with Latin declensions, with Mrs. Avery's help . . .

next, Miss Clendenen cheerily assists him in working on those English workbooks.

After lunch, Jim has a history class with Mr. Mater and a study hall.

When the school day is ended, Esberg can be found at that well-known Fifty hangout, Walgreen's.



A new student enters...

Under her mother's wing, Sue Yeakey gets the low-down on enrolling from Betty Shwalter, office clerk. Sue came to E. H. S. from Alton, Illinois.

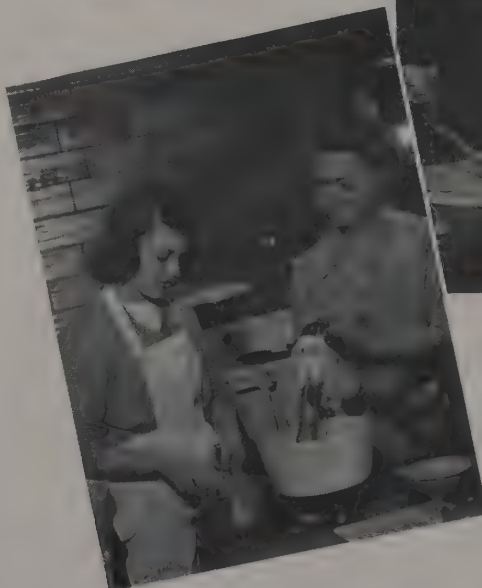
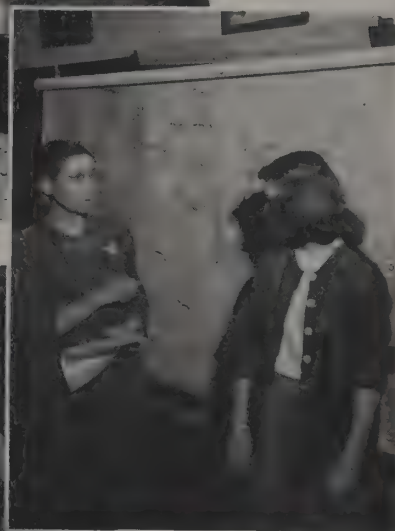
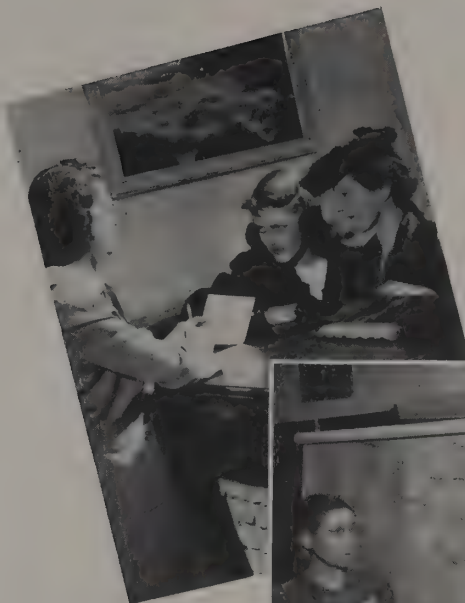
As a junior, Sue has talked over her course, with Miss Kirkland, junior counselor. Then she starts on her new program, entering Miss Hill's history class.

Miss Scheidler checks Sue's speed in typing . . .

next, Sue has a course in general business with Miss Deal . . .

in the Home Ec. Department, Sue gets some good pointers in cooking from Mrs. Patton . . .

Four classes, a study hall, and an hour spent on the ad staff of the Pennant Weekly, and Sue's day is ended.



Seniors



Senior Class officers, caught in a huddle with sponsors, Miss Clendenen and Mr. Sands.

REMEMBER . . .

That fall when you entered Elkhart High School? You had dreamed all summer about that big moment. You talked about when you would be in high school and thrilled anticipating when you could be put in the same study hall with that certain senior. You found yourself meeting new people and liking them. You looked at school with new eyes and you knew then that you wanted to be a part of it, not merely a part of your own little crowd.

Now you were here: self-conscious, scared, awe-struck. You cling to your gang; you watch the seniors. The next day you wear what they wear, you loaf where they loaf, you pick up their pet phrases and expressions. You said "that natural kid" and "hi, Goofy". All these made up your first impressions of high school.

You began coming home at 5:00 instead of 3:30 because you worked like dogs under the whip of the upperclassmen. You realized that those same workers would at some time be the leaders of your class. When the class organized, you helped to elect officers: Bob Stackhouse, president; Morris Clement, vice-president; Marilyn King, secretary; Dick Hagans, treasurer; Mary Lou Niblock and Bob Weldy, social chairmen. Miss Clendenen and Mr. Niblock were chosen to chart your course throughout your sophomore year.

Remember the first class party? It was held in the gym, March 26. That hill-billy wedding in which Hank McCloughan married Bob Es-

berg will definitely be unforgettable. You also had high times at the picnic held at the close of school.

Your sophomore year came to a close but you will always remember . . . "Skylark" and "Kalamazoo" . . . pep sessions . . . your first dark lipstick . . . your first formal dance . . . that hard-earned "E" sweater . . . you were growing up . . . you became casual and smooth . . . you became a part of Elkhart High School . . .

The next fall when you returned as a junior, you had self-confidence, poise and personality. It was just about then that you discovered the importance of your studies. You took to reading Paul Mallon instead of just hashing over the latest dirt in the Pennant Weekly. Andre Kostelanetz became known to you along with Bing Crosby and Harry James. That was the time when new things took on new meanings to you.

Plans, parties, programs . . . these all went into the making of your junior year. Bill Borneman who was elected president was aided by Bob Stackhouse, vice-president; Virginia Jenner, secretary; Dick Hagans, treasurer; Mary Lou Niblock and Jim Macumber, social chairmen. Mr. Sands took over the position of co-sponsor along with Miss Clendenen.

The "Ration Rumpus" which was held January 7 in the cafeteria was especially appropriate because of the war-time conditions. Remember how all the girls swooned when Jake Flora gave his interpretations of Frankie Sinatra? But after the fun of the party, you really had to dig down and start working on the class play, "The Charm School". Phyllis McLain, Dick Church and all the other kids made the play a great success on the night of March 31.

Then came the biggest event of the year, the Junior-Senior

Class of '45

Prom, which was held May 27 in the Athenian Ballroom of the Hotel Elkhart. You'll never forget those life-like Spanish figures which centered around the South American theme, how Charlie Rogers swung out on Cugat's Congo, the grand march which ended with the crowning of the king and queen.

Your junior year came to a close but you will always remember . . . "In the Mood" and "Blue Rain" . . . bond and stamp drives . . . ordering class rings . . . source themes . . . editing the Junior Pennant . . . getting on the first string football team . . . Now you were important . . . you became individual and respected . . . you became a part of Elkhart High School.

With the realization that your senior year had come, you began making your plans for the future. College, cadet nursing, armed forces, work . . . all these things were in your thoughts, mind and conversation. You tried to make this your best year knowing that soon you would be separated from your friends.

To start the year off promptly, the seniors divided with Jack Diley leading the January Class. To help carry out the senior activities, you elected Marilyn King as vice-president; Carol Bailey, secretary; Dick Hagans, treasurer; Marcia Hile

and Jack Hobson, social chairmen. Bill Borneman was elected president of the June Class. Other officers elected were: Margaret Bonfiglio, vice-president; Virginia Jenner, secretary; Barbara Rowe, treasurer; Dorothy Doll and Dick Church, social chairmen.

Can you ever forget the magazine drive? Remember how you rushed from one house to another trying to sell magazines? You realized you needed plenty of money to carry out all your plans for your senior year. Besides writing copy, arranging glossies, and selling ads for the annual, you found time to struggle with writing lab, type chem experiments, and tear to Honor Society meetings. Due to the many activities at the end of the year, you planned the Senior Class Play, "Mr. Pim Passes By", for November 17. Ruth Ann Sears, Jack Ruff, Lorene Eash and Dick Church took the leading roles.

Your senior year came to a close but you will always remember . . . "I'll Walk Alone" . . . V E Day . . . measurements for caps and gowns . . . receiving announcements and name cards . . . Sweetheart's Swing . . . Senior Day and Senior Banquet . . . Baccalaureate . . . Commencement . . . Prom and Alumni Dance . . . Now you have graduated . . . you have become confident and open-minded . . . you have become an alumnus of Elkhart High School.



Conferring on those president's jobs.

Modeling the senior garb.

Seniors



ARTLEY, JO ANN *College Preparatory*
Band, A-Capella Choir, Discobolus, Girl Reserves, National Honor Society, Pennant Annual.

BABCOCK, CHARLES *General*
Interclass Basketball, Sandbur Football.

BAILEY, CAROL *General*
Triple-L, Girl Reserves, Threshold, Pennant Weekly, Senior Class (Sec.), Pennant Annual.

BAKER, PHYLLIS *Home Economics*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly.

BEEHLER, BETTY *Business*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Triple-L, Yell Leader.

BIGGS, VIRGINIA *Home Economics*
Triple-L, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly.

BLESSING, NORMA JEAN *Home Economics*
Discobolus, Triple-L.

BOOTS, ROBERT *General*
Interclass Basketball.

BRADY, BYRON *General*
Hi-Y, Band, Pennant Weekly.

BRICKMAN, ARTHUR *College Preparatory*
Blue Jackets, Pennant Weekly, Varsity Baseball, Interclass Basketball.

COX, MARY CATHERINE *Business*

CROSS, DOROTHY *College Preparatory*
Junior Class Play, National Honor Society, Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Pennant Weekly.

CUNNINGHAM, ORA, JR. *Industrial*
DAVIS, GEORGE *College Preparatory*
Hi-Y, Yell Leader, Student Council, Track, Blue Jackets, Cross Country.
DE VAUGHN, JAMES *Industrial*
DILEY, JACK *College Preparatory*
Varsity Football, Varsity Basketball, Baseball, Student Council, Hi-Y, Senior Class (Pres.).

DOTY, ALEEN *Home Economics*
Girl Reserves.

FEDELL, LOIS JEAN *Home Economics*
GANGER, MARIELLEN *Home Economics*
Girl Reserves.

GUTERMUTH, TOWNSEND *General*
Ushers Club, Blue Jackets, Hi-Y (Sec.).

HACK, ELAINE *Home Economics*

HAGANS, RICHARD *General*
Hi-Y, (Pres.), Basketball, Football (Mgr.), Sophomore-Junior-Senior Class (Treas.), Student Council.

HALL, PHYLLIS *Business*
Junior Academy of Science (Pres.), Junior Class Play, Girl Reserves, Triple-L (Treas.), Student Council, National Honor Society.

HILE, MARCIA *College Preparatory*
Girl Reserves (Sec., Vice-Pres.), Triple-L, (Vice-Pres.), Discobolus, Student Council, National Honor Society, Junior Class Play, Pennant Weekly (Asst. Ed.), Pennant Annual, Choir.



Class of '45

HOBSON, JACK *General*
Varsity Baseball, Interclass Basketball, Senior Class (Soc. Ch.), Hi-Y.

HOLLEY, LOUISE *College Preparatory*
Girl Reserves, Junior Academy of Science, Pennant Weekly, Triple-L.

HUFF, JEAN *General*

JOHNSON, CARL *Industrial*

JOHNSON, JOANNE *College Preparatory*
Discobolus, Triple-L, Junior Academy of Science, National Honor Society, Girl Reserves.

KENDALL, LAURINE *General*
Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Discobolus.

KESSLER, PATRICIA *Business*

KINDLE, BEVERLY *Home Economics*
Girl Reserves.

KING, MARILYN *College Preparatory*
Band, National Honor Society. (Vice-Pres.), Discobolus, Girl Reserves (Soc. Ch.), Pennant Weekly (Asst. Ad. Mgr., Ad. Mgr.).

LICKEY, JOAN *General*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly (Cir. Mgr., Asst. Bus. Mgr.).

LINDSTROM, PATRICIA *General*
Band, Orchestra, Discobolus.

LOSHBOUGH, SALLY *College Preparatory*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly (Asst. Cir. Mgr.).



LUND, DOROTHY *General*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly.

METZLER, ANNABELLE *Home Economics*

MONGER, MARJORY *College Preparatory*
Discobolus (Pres.), Triple-L, Girl Reserves, Junior Academy of Science, National Honor Society, Pennant Annual.

MONTEITH, THOMAS *College Preparatory*
Hi-Y (Vice-Pres., Pres.), Ushers Club, Blue Jackets.

MURRAY, STUART *General*
Hi-Y, Blue Jackets, Ushers Club, Cross Country, Track.

NEFF, RALPH K. *Industrial*
Band, Orchestra.

NEFF, ROBERT *Industrial*
Hi-Y, Interclass Basketball, Sandbur Football.

NELSON, WILLIAM *Industrial*
Interclass Basketball, Sandbur Football, Baseball.

NOFFSINGER, RICHARD *General*

NULL, BERDINE *Home Economics*
Orchestra.

NYE, BEVERLY *College Preparatory*
Student Council, Triple-L, Discobolus, Choir, Girl Reserves.

RAAB, JACOB *General*
Art Club, Cross Country (Mgr.).

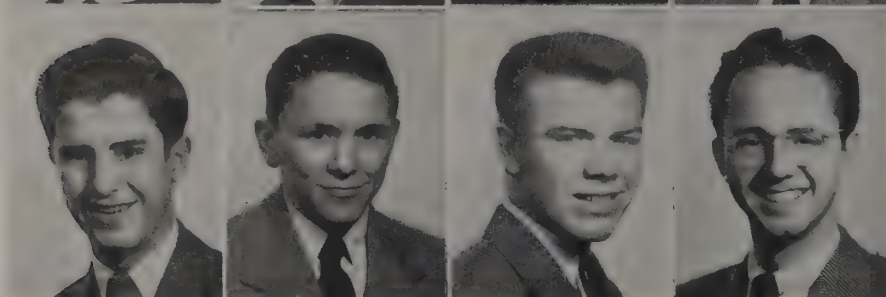
Seniors



REAFSNYDER, ROBERT *Industrial*
Blue Jackets, Track, Cross Country.
REBER, MILLICENT *General*
Triple-L, Girl Reserves, Pennant Weekly, Discobolus, Pennant Annual, Student Council.
ROE, PAUL S. *Industrial*
Choir, Interclass Basketball.
ROSEN, IRVING *College Preparatory*
Hi-Y (Vice-Pres.), Ushers Club (Pres.), Blue Jackets (Parl.), Football, Track, Interclass Basketball, Cross Country.

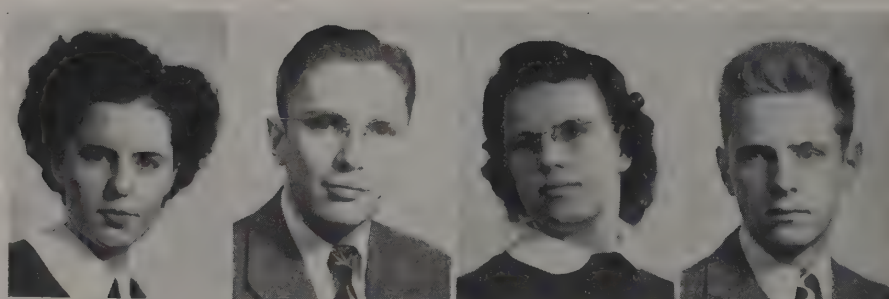


SARGENT, NORMAJEAN *General*
Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Band, Pennant Weekly, Pennant Annual.
SCOTT, MINARD *General*
SEARS, RUTH ANNE *College Preparatory*
Spanish Club (Vice-Pres.), Junior Academy of Science, Pennant Weekly (Asst. Ed.), Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Senior Class Play, Choir.
SHREINER, JACK *College Preparatory*



SINTON, KEITH R. *College Preparatory*
Hi-Y, Ushers Club, Interclass Basketball, Baseball.
SLOUGH, HILBERT *General*
Interclass Basketball, Hi-Y, Ushers Club.
SMITH, JAMES *Industrial*
Track.
STACKHOUSE, ROBERT *College Preparatory*
National Honor Society, Hi-Y (Sec.), Blue Jackets (Vice-Pres.), Pennant Weekly (Bus. Mgr.), Ushers Club (Vice-Pres., Sec., Treas.), Sophomore Class (Pres.), Junior Class (Vice-Pres.).

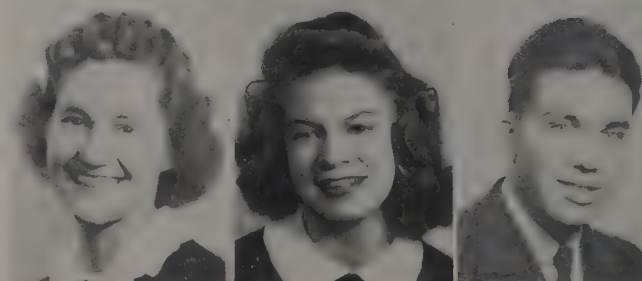
STAIR, PHYLLIS *Home Economics*
STEMM, ROBERT *Industrial*
Hi-Y, Band.
STRINE, BETTY *Home Economics*
SWIHART, JAMES *College Preparatory*
National Honor Society (Pres.), Hi-Y (Pres.), Cross Country (Capt.), Track, Football, Blue Jackets (Treas.), Ushers Club.



VAN TILBERG, RICHARD *General*
Choir, Ushers Club.
VESCELUS, KENNETH S. *Industrial*
Ushers Club, Student Council, Cross Country.
WELSCH, HILDEGARDE *Home Economics*
Girl Reserves.
WHITE, RUTH *General*



WHITMYER, DOROTHY *Home Economics*
WRIGHT, MILDRED *General*
Band, Student Council, Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly, Pennant Annual.
WYLIE, RICHARD *Industrial*
Track, Cross Country.



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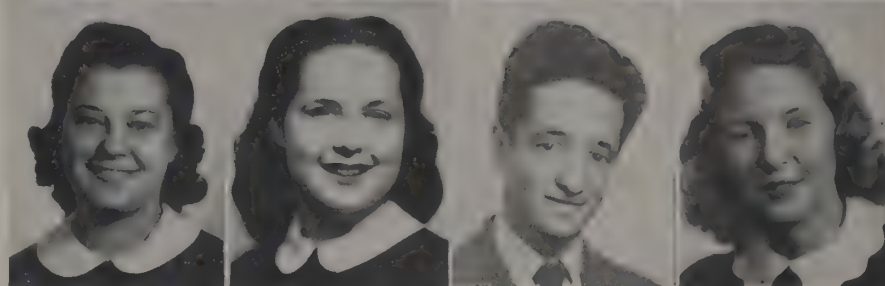
ADAMO, FLORENCE *College Preparatory*
 AMAN, ALICE A. *Home Economics*
 ALBAUGH, BOYD (*Not Graduating*)
 ANDRESEN, WILLIAM *General*
 Band, Orchestra, Pennant Annual (Photographer).



ARISMAN, BETTY *College Preparatory*
 Girl Reserves, Triple-L, National Honor Society, Discobolus, Student Council.
 AUGUSTINE, FRANCES *General*
 BACHMAN, WILHELMINA *General*
 Girl Reserves.
 BAILEY, ALBERT *Industrial*



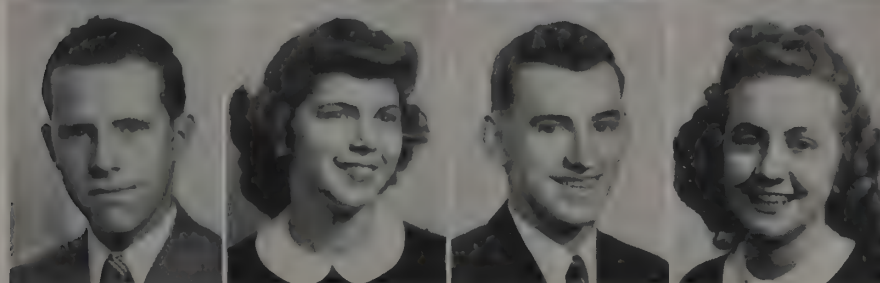
BAKER, BETTY *Home Economics*
 BALL, ROSEANN *College Preparatory*
 Pennant Weekly (Feat. Ed.), National Honor Society, Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Art Club, Discobolus.
 BATTISTA, SAM *Industrial*
 BECHT, BARBARA (*Not Graduating*)



BECK, MARILYN *General*
 Art Club, Girl Reserves.
 BEGHTEL, WANDA GEARLENE *Home Economics*
 Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Pennant Weekly, Pennant Annual.
 BEHNKE, THERESA (*Not Graduating*)
 BERKSHIRE, NORMAN *College Preparatory*



BICKART, JOHN *General*
 Sandbur Football.
 BITTINGER, SHIRLEY *Business*
 Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Pennant Weekly.
 BONFIGLIO, MARGARET *College Preparatory*
 Girl Reserves (Sec.), Discobolus (Soc. Ch.), National Honor Society (Sec.), Art Club (Pres.), Pennant Weekly, Threshold, Senior Class (Vice-Pres.), Triple-L, Student Council.
 BOONE, MARGIE *Business*



BORNEMAN, WILLIAM *General*
 Hi-Y, Blue Jackets (Vice-Pres.), National Honor Society, Track, Cross Country, Tennis (Capt.), Student Council (Pres.), Pennant Weekly (Sports Ed.), Pennant Annual, Junior-Senior Class (Pres.).
 BOWERS, CARLA JEAN *Business*
 Girl Reserves.
 BOWERS, MERLE JR. (*Not Graduating*)
 BOWMAN, CONSTANCE *Business*
 Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly.

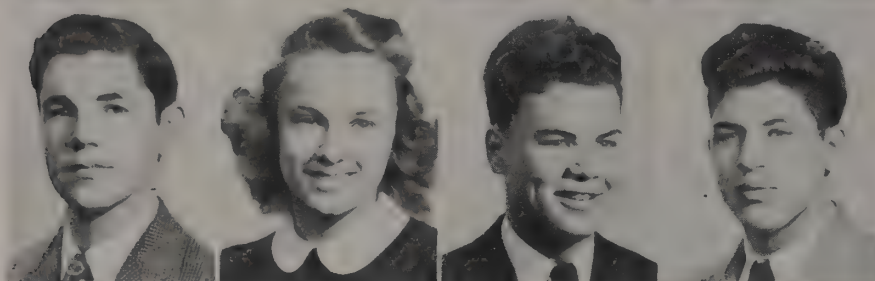
Seniors



BOYER, HAROLD R. *General*
BRADLEY, EILEEN *General*
Girl Reserves, Dramatics Club.
BRYNER, CAROLINE *Home Economics*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus.
BUETER, FRANCES *General*
Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Art Club, Pennant Weekly.

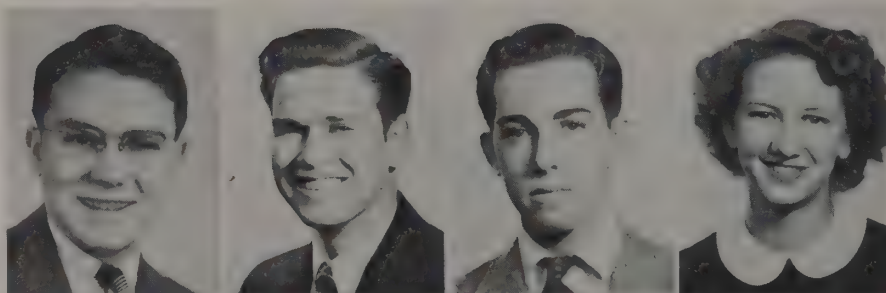


CAPPELLETTI, LUCILLE *Business*
Triple-L, Girl Reserves, Discobolus.
CARLSON, GLORIA *Business*
Threshold, Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Pennant Weekly, Choir (Soc. Ch.), Student Council.
CASEY, ANNA LEE *Home Economics*
Band, Discobolus.
CHESTER, JAMES *General*



CHURCH, RICHARD *College Preparatory*
Band (Pres.), Orchestra, National Honor Society, Junior Class Play, Senior Class Play, Senior Class (Soc. Ch.).
CLAUSEN, DOLORES *Business*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus.
CLEMENT, MORRIS *College Preparatory*
Hi-Y (Soc. Ch., Pres.), Pennant Weekly, Student Council, Varsity Football, Junior Class Play, Pennant Annual (Bus. Mgr.), National Honor Society (Treas.), Blue Jackets (Vice-Pres.), Sophomore Class (Vice-Pres.).
COCANOWER, CLYDE *Industrial*

CORRELL, DONALD *College Preparatory*
Choir, Student Council, Visual Education, Blue Jackets.
CORSON, THOMAS *College Preparatory*
Hi-Y, Blue Jackets (Soc. Ch.), Pennant Weekly, Junior Class Play, Student Council.
CORY, ROBERT *Industrial*
COSSAIRT, MARGARET *Home Economics*
Pennant Weekly, Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Threshold.



COURT, EDWARD JR. *College Preparatory*
Ushers Club (Sec., Treas., Vice-Pres.), Blue Jackets, Pennant Annual (Asst. Bus. Mgr.), National Honor Society, Threshold (Bus. Mgr.).
COX, MARY RUTH *Business*
CRONK, ANNE *College Preparatory*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Annual.
CRUSSEMEYER, VELORA JEAN *Home Economics*



DARR, MARILYN *General*
Girl Reserves, Pennant Weekly, Discobolus, Triple-L.
DAVY, MARY *General*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus.
DEITCH, CHARLES *Industrial*
DENMAN, WILMA *Business*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly.



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DI CAMILLO, DONALD *Industrial*
 DILLMAN, FAY *General*
 DILORENZO, PAT *Industrial*
 DILTZ, GRETCHEN *College Preparatory*
 Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Discobolus, Band,
 Orchestra.

DOLL, DOROTHY *College Preparatory*
 Girl Reserves (Treas.), National Honor So-
 ciety, Art Club (Sec., Treas.), Triple-L (Soc.
 Ch.), Pennant Weekly, Pennant Annual (Asst.
 Ed.), Discobolus, Senior Class (Soc. Ch.), Stu-
 dent Council.

DUNCAN, WILLIAM *Industrial*
 DUNKER, GEORGIA *Business*
 Girl Reserves, Discobolus.

EASH, LORENE *General*
 Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Discobolus, Junior
 Class Play, Senior Class Play, Choir.

EASH, ROBERT *Industrial*

ELLIOTT, CARTER *Industrial*
 Choir, Sandbur Football.

ESBERG, ROBERT *General*
 Sandbur Football, Student Council, Hi-Y, Bas-
 ketball (Mgr.).

EVERETT, MARY FRANCES *Home*
Economics
 Girl Reserves.



EVERETT, ROBERT *General*
 Baseball.

FALCONE, ELIZABETH ROSEMARY
Business
 Girl Reserves, Discobolus.

FARLEY, MARY *Business*
 Girl Reserves.

FARNSWORTH, NATHENE *College*
Preparatory
 Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Band, Orchestra,
 Triple-L, (Vice-Pres.), National Honor Society.

FIELDS, MAXINE *General*
 Band, Orchestra, Discobolus.

FINCH, MARILYN *College Preparatory*
 Junior Academy of Science (Sec., Treas., Pres.),
 Girl Reserves (Vice-Pres.), Pennant Weekly,
 Pennant Annual, Junior Class Play, National
 Honor Society, Discobolus.

FLORA, GERALD *General*
 Track, Cross Country, Student Council, Hi-Y.

FOSTER, CHARLES *Industrial*

FRANCISCO, BARBARA *Business*
 Triple-L, Pennant Weekly, Girl Reserves, Dis-
 cobolus, Student Council.

FREDRICKSON, GLORIA *Business*

FREEBY, JAMES *General*
 Hi-Y, Interclass Basketball, Baseball (Mgr.).

FULLER, PHYLLIS *Home Economics*
 Girl Reserves.

Seniors



GASKA, CONSTANCE *Business*
Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Discobolus, Student Council, Junior Academy of Science, Choir.

GATES, ELEANOR *College Preparatory*
Discobolus (Treas.), Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Student Council, National Honor Society.

GERMAN, JAMES *College Preparatory*
Football, Track, Pennant Annual.

GILDNER, HERMAN *General*
Hi-Y.

GILL, WILMA JEAN *Business*
Discobolus, Pennant Weekly, Student Council.

GOOD, DOROTHY *Home Economics*

GOSHORN, JANET *Home Economics*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus.

GRABILL, BARBARA *General*
Girl Reserves, Art Club (Sec., Treas.).

GRAMES, ROBERT *College Preparatory*
Ushers Club, National Honor Society, Junior Academy of Science.

GREENAWALT, DE FOE *Industrial*
Hi-Y, Yell Leader, Student Council.

HAAG, MILDRED *College Preparatory*
Art Club, Pennant Weekly, Pennant Annual, Discobolus, Triple-L, Girl Reserves.

HAFER, DEAN *General*
Hi-Y, Junior Academy of Science, Blue Jackets.

HALL, KEITH *Industrial*
Hi-Y.

HANSING, BARBARA *General*

HART, ALBERT *Industrial*
Hi-Y.

HART, RICHARD *College Preparatory*
Hi-Y, Blue Jackets (Parl.), Band, Baseball.

HEFFNER, KENNETH *Industrial*

HERRLI, BEVERLY *General*
Discobolus.

HERRLI, ELENOR *General*
Girl Reserves.

HOGUE, VIRGINIA *Business*
Girl Reserves, Orchestra.

HOLLIBAUGH, JAMES *General*
Varsity Football, Track, Interclass Basketball, Hi-Y.

HOLLOWAY, PHILLIP *General*
Hi-Y, Sandbur Football.

HOSTETLER, CHARLOTTE *General*
Band, Orchestra, Junior Academy of Science.

HUBER, CAROLE *General*
Girl Reserves, Pennant Weekly, Discobolus.



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JACKSON, VELMA *General*
Band, Choir.

JENKINS, FLOYD *Industrial*
Track, Cross Country (Mgr.), Interclass Basketball, Choir.

JENNER, VIRGINIA *College Preparatory*
Choir, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly, Threshold (Ed.), Girl Reserves (Pres.), National Honor Society, Student Council (Sec., Vice-Pres.), Junior-Senior Class (Sec.), Junior Class Play.

JOHNSON, KENNETH *Industrial*
Baseball, Interclass Basketball.

JOHNSON, ROSE *Home Economics*

JOHNSON, SONIA *General*
Girl Reserves, Band, Triple-L, Discobolus, Pennant Annual, Art Club.

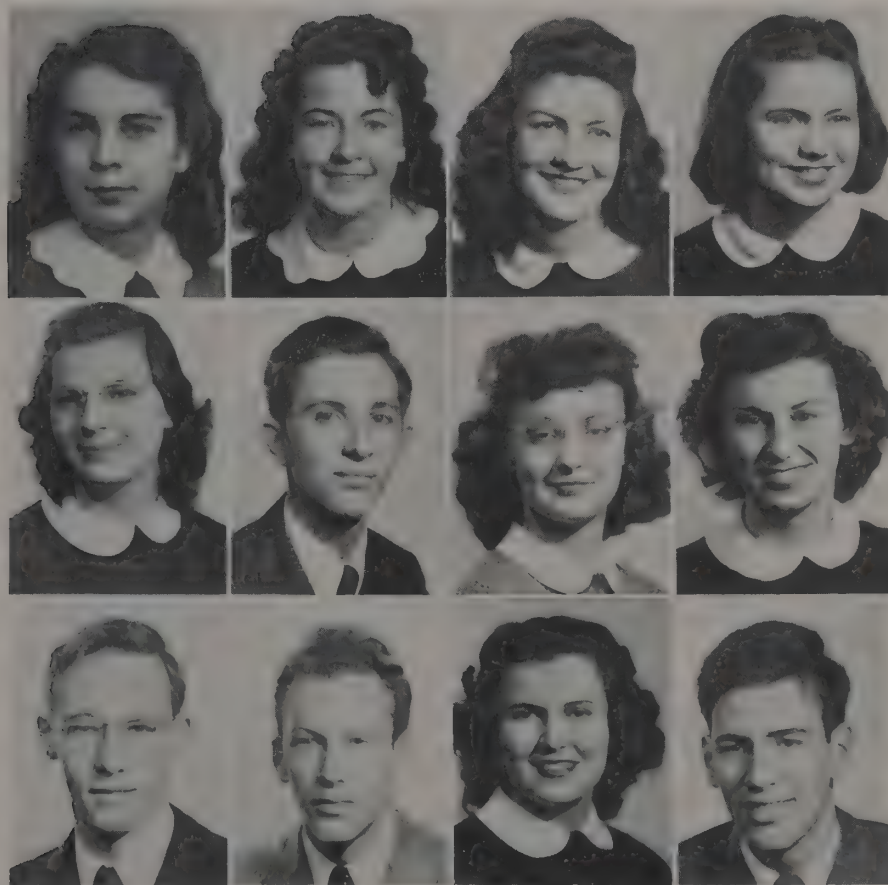
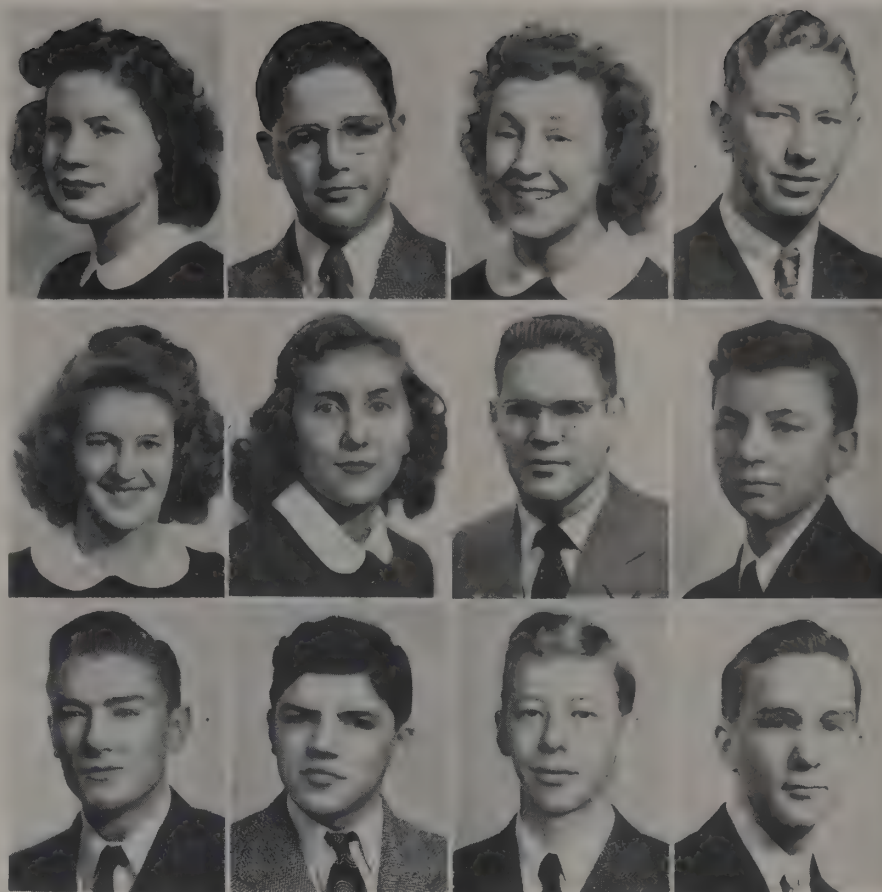
JUDAY, RICHARD *College Preparatory*
Varsity Football, Basketball (Mgr.), Varsity Track, Hi-Y, Student Council, Interclass Basketball.

KANTZ, EDWARD *General*
Interclass Basketball, Student Council.

KATZENMEYER, ROBERT *Industrial*

KAUFFMAN, STANLEY *Industrial*
Interclass Basketball, Football.

KIRKWOOD, JACKSON *Industrial*
KISER, DAVID JAMES *Business*



KLOSE, DORIS *General*
Discobolus.

KOTHE, NORMA *General*
Discobolus.

KREIGBAUM, NANCY *Business*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly.

KREIGHBAUM, CHERYLE *Business*
Girl Reserves, Band, Orchestra, Discobolus, Pennant Annual, Student Council.

LA MUNYON, MARGARET (Not Graduating)

LE VAN, JOHN *College Preparatory*
Hi-Y, Interclass Basketball, Track, Junior Class Play, Senior Class Play, Student Council, Pennant Weekly.

LEWAN, SHIRLEY *Home Economics*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Weekly, Pennant Annual, Band (Drum Major).

LINN, DORIS *College Preparatory*
Triple-L, Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Student Council, Pennant Weekly, Pennant Annual.

LOBLEY, ALAN *College Preparatory*
Band, Orchestra, Pennant Annual.

LOVETT, VICTOR *Industrial*
Track.

LUX, IRENE *College Preparatory*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus (Soc. Ch.), National Honor Society, Pennant Weekly, Pennant Annual, Junior Class Play.

Mc CLOUGHAN, WILLIAM *General*
Hi-Y, Sandbur Football, Cross Country, Track, Interclass Basketball, Student Council.

Seniors



Mc LAIN, PHYLLIS *College Preparatory*
Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Junior Class Play,
National Honor Society, Choir, Pennant An-
nual, Junior Academy of Science.

MAIN, GERALD *Industrial*

MANGES, JOYCE *College Preparatory*
Choir, Triple-L.

MANGES, RICHARD *General*
Visual Education (Vice-Pres.), Blue Jackets
(Pro. Ch.), Ushers Club (Sec., Treas., Pres.).

MANN, EUGENE CARL *Industrial*
Orchestra.

MARCHESSEAU, MARILYN *General*
Girl Reserves, Pennant Annual.

MARTIN, ALTA MAE *Home Economics*
Girl Reserves.

MARTIN, JOYCE *Business*
Girl Reserves, Choir.

MAST, LAURA (*Not Graduating*)

MAXSON, DOROTHY *Home Economics*
Student Council.

MEAD, LELAND *Industrial*

MEEKER, WILLIAM *College Preparatory*
Interclass Basketball, Ushers Club, Hi-Y, Blue
Jackets.

MEIGHEN, BETTY *Business*
Band, Orchestra, Triple-L.

METZLER, DONALD *Industrial*
Hi-Y, Band.

MIDDLETON, RAMONA *College Preparatory*
Triple-L, Art Club (Sec.), Band, National Hon-
or Society, Student Council, Orchestra.

MILLER, MARJORIE *Home Economics*
Student Council, Orchestra, (Soc. Ch.), Band,
Girl Reserves, Pennant Weekly, Triple-L.

MINEGAR, WANETA *Home Economics*
Girl Reserves.

MONTEITH, PHILLIP *College Preparatory*
Blue Jackets, Band.

MUHLNICKEL, HUBERT *Industrial*
Cross Country.

MUNSCH, PATRICIA *Home Economics*
Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Pennant Weekly,
Pennant Annual.

MUNCH, ROSANNA *General*
Junior Academy of Science, Girl Reserves,
Triple-L, National Honor Society.

MURPHY, ROSEMARIE *General*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus.

MURPHY, VIRGINIA *College Preparatory*
Pennant Weekly (Asst. Ed., Ed.), Discobolus
(Treas.), Girl Reserves (Vice-Pres.), Junior
Class Play, National Honor Society, Triple-L.

NADOLNY, JOHN *General*
Hi-Y, Varsity Football.



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NIBLOCK, MARY LOU *Business*
Girl Reserves (Soc. Ch., Treas.), Discobolus,
Sophomore-Junior Class (Soc. Ch.), Triple-L
(Pres.), National Honor Society, Pennant Week-
ly (Asst. Ed.).

NICCUM, JOSEPH *College Preparatory*

NOFFSINGER, MAXINE *Business*
Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Discobolus, Student
Council (Vice-Pres.).

NOFFSINGER, ROSEMARY *Home Economics*

NOYES, ROBERT (*Not Graduating*)

NUSBAUM, ROBERT *College Preparatory*
Football, Hi-Y, Student Council.

OHMER, LAURA JEAN *General*
Discobolus, Triple-L.

ORT, JAMES (*Not Graduating*)

ORT, ROLLIN *General*

Baseball, Track, Interclass Basketball.

OSBORNE, LOUISE *Home Economics*

OSBORNE, WILLIAM *General*
Hi-Y, Blue Jackets, Pennant Annual (Asst. Ad.
Mgr.), Choir.

OSTERLOO, ELIZABETH *General*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Band, Orchestra.



PARKER, HELEN *College Preparatory*
Discobolus (Treas.), Girl Reserves, Triple-L,
Pennant Weekly (Asst. Ed.), Pennant Annual,
National Honor Society, Junior Class Play.

PARROTT, DORIS *Business*
Discobolus, Student Council.

PEDERSEN, NORMAN, JR. *College Prepara-
tory*
Hi-Y, Blue Jackets (Soc. Ch., Pres.), Interclass
Basketball, Pennant Annual (Sports Ed.), Thres-
hold, National Honor Society (Pres.), Baseball,
Sandbur Football.

PETRIELLA, EDITH *General*
Girl Reserves.

PHILLIPS, WILMA *Home Economics*

PRICE, LILLIAN *Business*

QUIER, JANE *Home Economics*

RECCHIO, FLORA *General*
Discobolus, Girl Reserves.

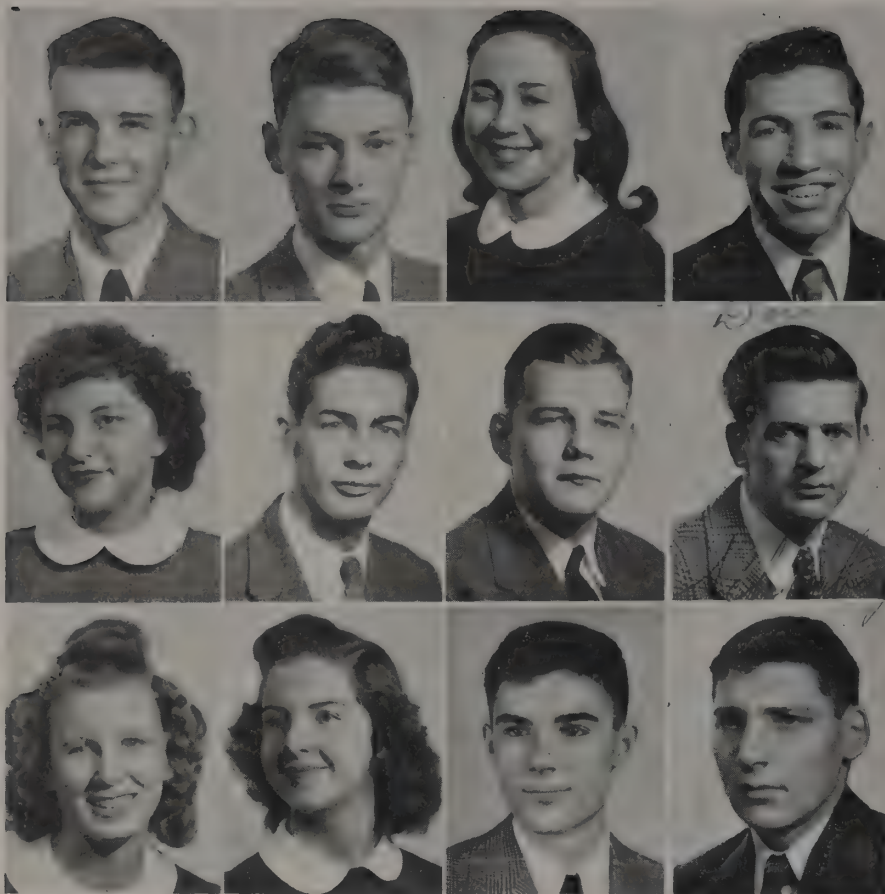
RITTER, ESTHER *Business*
Triple-L, Girl Reserves, Discobolus.

ROSEN, BERNARD *College Preparatory*
Student Council, Pennant Annual (Ed.), Blue
Jackets (Sec., Pro. Ch.), Tennis, Interclass Bas-
ketball, Threshold, Junior Class Play, Band,
National Honor Society (Treas.).

ROSS, WILMA *Business*

ROWE, BARBARA *College Preparatory*
Choir (Sec., Treas., Pres.), Triple-L (Treas.),
Student Council, National Honor Society, Girl
Reserves, Senior Class (Treas.).

Seniors



RUFF, JACK *General*
Dramatics Club (Vice-Pres.), Junior Class Play,
Senior Class Play.

RUSSELL, WILLIAM *Industrial*
Student Council, Blue Jackets.

SAMUEL, MARY *General*
Choir.

SARGENT, LLOYD *(Not Graduating)*

SCHADE, WILMA JEAN *(Not Graduating)*

SCHEUER, JAMES *General*
Track, Cross Country, Interclass Basketball,
Hi-Y.

SCHEUER, ROBERT *Industrial*
Football.

SCHLABAUGH, DONALD *Industrial*

SCHRADER, BETTY *Home Economics*

SCHULER, MARIAN *Business*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Choir, Triple-L,
Pennant Annual.

SCHWAB, WILLIAM *Industrial*

SCHWARTZ, STANFORD *General*
Hi-Y, Sandbur Football, Interclass Basketball,
Cross Country, Track.

SELLEMEYER, SUZANNE *College Preparatory*

Girl Reserves (Sec.), Discobolus, Student Council,
Pennant Weekly (Ad. Mgr.), Pennant Annual (Ad. Mgr.),
Senior Class Play, National Honor Society, Triple-L.

SERAFINO, JOSEPH *Industrial*
Hi-Y.

SHAMORY, MARY ELLEN *Business*
Orchestra, Girl Reserves.

SHANK, GERALDINE *College Preparatory*
Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Pennant Weekly (Feat. Ed.),
Pennant Annual (Asst. Ed.), Triple-L, Junior Class Play.

SHEA, COLLEEN *College Preparatory*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Threshold, Triple-L.

SHELLENBERGER, CURTIS *Industrial*
Ushers Club.

SHOCK, MARILYN *College Preparatory*
Band, Orchestra, Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Pennant
Weekly, Discobolus.

SITES, LOLA *Home Economics*

SLOUGH, DELORES *Home Economics*

SMITH, MAX EUGENE *Industrial*

SMITHERS, BARBARA *General*
Discobolus, Girl Reserves, Pennant Annual,
Pennant Weekly.

SPEAS, BETTY LOU *Business*
Triple-L, Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Choir,
Pennant Annual.



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SRIVER, JOYCE *Home Economics*
Discobolus, Band, Pennant Annual.

STAHL, DONALD *Industrial*

STAIR, ORA BELLE *Home Economics*
Art Club, Pennant Annual.

STEMM, RICHARD *Industrial*

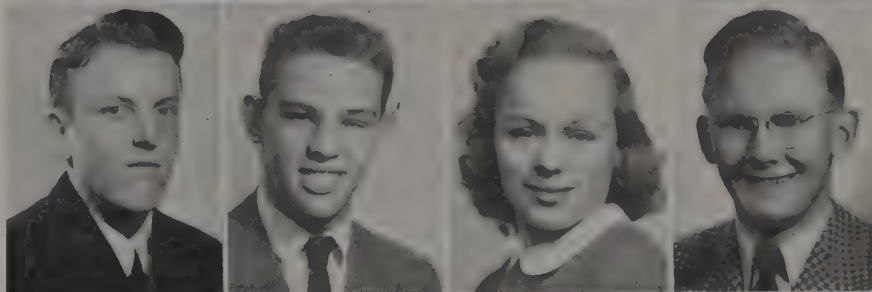


STIFFLER, DALE *Industrial*
Ushers Club.

STOCK, GORDON *College Preparatory*
Varsity Track (Capt.), Varsity Football, Varsity Basketball, Hi-Y (Sec.), Student Council.

STOKELY, BONNIE (not graduating)

STOLL, EDWARD *General*

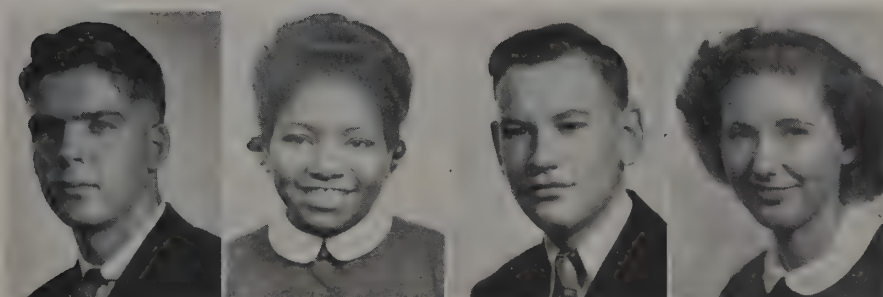


STORM, WARREN *Industrial*

STOUT, RICHARD *General*
Hi-Y (Pro. Ch.).

STROM, FRANCES *College Preparatory*
Girl Reserves, Pennant Annual, Discobolus, National Honor Society, Choir.

STROUD, BARBARA *Business*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus (Vice-Pres.), Triple-L, Pennant Annual.



STUTSMAN, RICHARD (Not Graduating)

SUTTON, JULIA *Home Economics*

SWARTZ, EUGENE *Industrial*
Ushers Club (Vice-Pres.), Blue Jackets.

SWARTZBAUGH, MARY ANNE *Business*
Orchestra, Band, Triple-L, Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Pennant Annual.

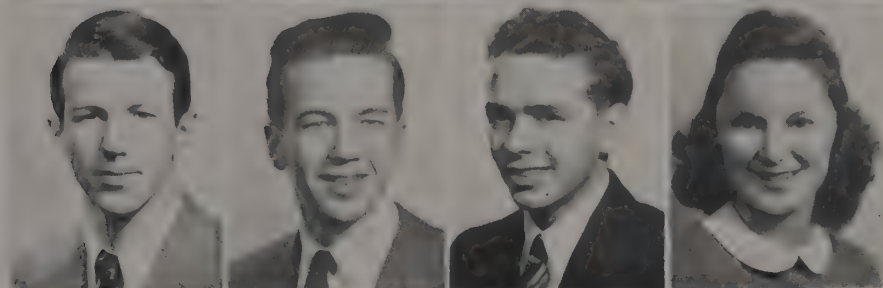


SYKES, BARBARA *College Preparatory*
Discobolus, Triple-L, Girl Reserves, National Honor Society (Vice-Pres.), Pennant Weekly, Threshold.

THULIS, CHARLES *Industrial*
Varsity Football (Co-capt.).

TOM, BETTY *Home Economics*

TRECKELO, NORMA JEAN *Business*
Discobolus (Soc. Ch., Vice-Pres.), Girl Reserves, Triple-L, Junior Class Play, National Honor Society (Sec.), Choir, Pennant Weekly.

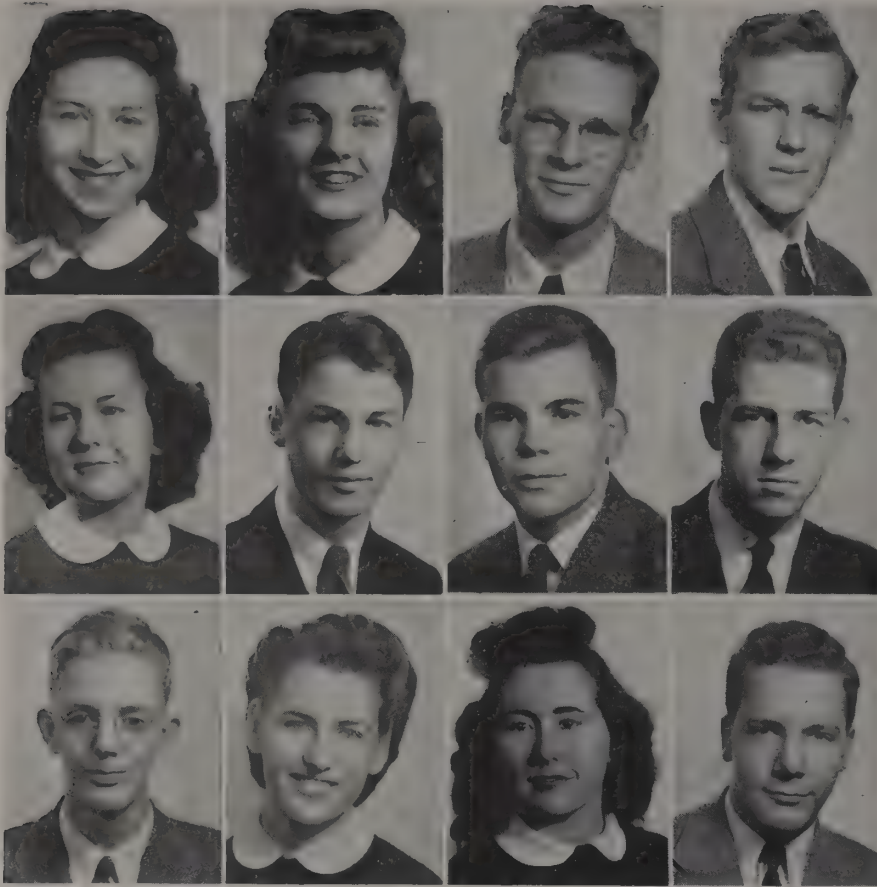


TREESH, DONALD *Industrial*

ULERY, JOHN *College Preparatory*
Blue Jackets, Hi-Y, Pennant Annual.

VANCE, JOHN (Not Graduating)

VANDERREYDEN, JEAN *General*
Triple-L, Discobolus.



Seniors, Class of '45

VAN DOEHRN, MARJORIE *College Preparatory*

Triple-L, Girl Reserves, Junior Academy of Science, Orchestra, Discobolus.

WAMBAUGH, NANCY *General*

Girl Reserves (Pro. Ch.), Band, Student Council (Parl., Treas.), Discobolus (Pres.), Pennant Weekly, Pennant Annual (Asst. Ed.).

WARNER, HOMER *Industrial*

WATERMAN, DARRALL (*Not Graduating*)

WEAVER, BETTY *General*

Orchestra, Junior Academy of Science.

WEAVER, DONALD *Industrial*

WEAVER, JOHN *College Preparatory*

Varsity Football (Co-capt.), Varsity Basketball.

WELDY, ROBERT *Industrial*

Varsity Basketball (Capt.), Varsity Baseball, Blue Jackets, Choir (Soc. Ch.), Student Council.

WESSELHOFF, VICTOR *Industrial*

Band.

WHITE, COLLEEN *General*

WILLIAMS, WILMA *Business*

Girl Reserves, Discobolus, Triple-L, Pennant Weekly.

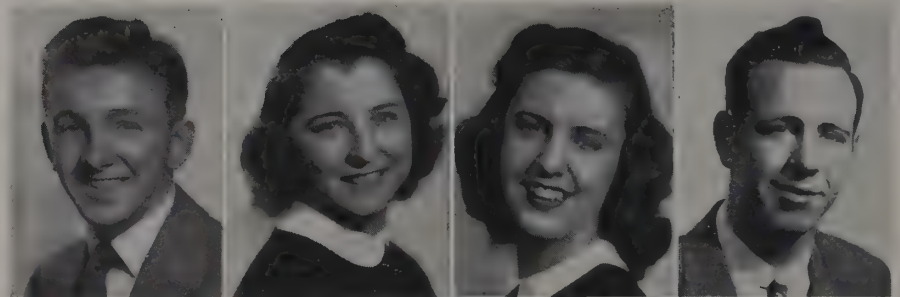
WINDOFFER, DON (*Not graduating*)

WITWER, WALTER *College Preparatory*
Hi-Y, Football (Mgr.), Track, Interclass Basketball.

WOLF, BETTY *Business*

WOOD, PHYLLIS *Home Economics*
Band, Art Club, Discobolus.

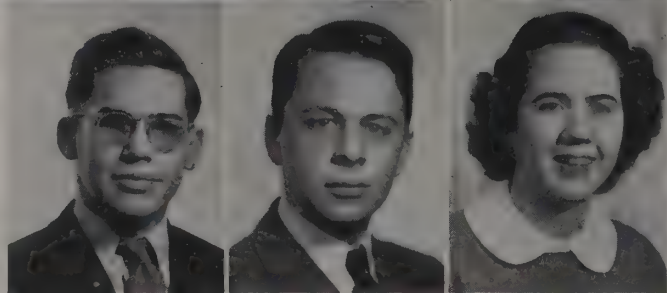
YEAKEY, RICHARD *Industrial*
Sandbur Football, Interclass Basketball.



YEATER, DONALD *Business*

YODER, WAYNE *Industrial*

YOUNG, VIOLA *College Preparatory*
Girl Reserves, Discobolus.



GRADUATES NOT PICTURED

HORNE, CHARLES *General*

LEWIS, FLOYD *Industrial*

MEYERS, ROBERT *Industrial*

NELSON, RAYMOND *General*

The senior class presents, "Mr. Pim Passes By"



The Mardens confer on the reappearance of a departed husband.



"Thank you for the tea, Anne."

"Tea is served, Madam."

An enthusiastic audience was transported from the Elkhart High School auditorium into a day in an English country home, when members of the senior class, under the direction of Miss Ruth Agnew, presented on the evening of November 17 "Mr. Pim Passes By" by A. A. Milne.

Wistful, gentle, little, Mr. Pim unwittingly complicated the lives of the residents by his inability to remember

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Carraway Pim	Jack Ruff
George Marden	Dick Church
Olivia Marden	Ruth Ann Sears
Lady Marden	Suzanne Sellemeyer
Brian Strange	Jack Le Van
Dinah	Lorene Eash
Anne, the maid	Bonnie Stokely
Student directors	Dorothy Doll,
	Barbara Sykes, Millicent Reber, Barbara Stroud.

names. The confusion over Olivia's first husband's name complicates the plot. Climaxing the dilemma of the Marden family is the discovery that he is actually dead and not alive as Mr. Pim has mistakenly informed them. Bubbling Dinah, George's niece, overwhelmed and won Brian, to add a touch of romance to the last act.

Committees were: properties, Nancy Wambaugh, Ch., Dorothy Cross, Jean Gill, Irene Lux, Shirley Bittinger, Connie Gaska, Marilyn Shock, Beverly Nye, Helen Parker, Joyce Stiner, Frances Strom, Mary Ellen Shamory; publicity, Roseanna Munch, Ch., Kenneth Vescelus, Robert Reafsnider, Roseann Ball, Ann Cronk, Mildred Haag; costumes, Marilyn Marchesseau, Barbara Francisco; make-up, Betty Lou Speas, Sonja Johnson, Cheryle Kreighbaum, Nancy Kreighbaum; scenery, Jean Bowers, Gloria Carlson, Charles Babcock, Wilma Denman, Delores Clausen, Jim Kaiser, Jo Ann Artley; stage managers, Laura Jean Ohmer, Marilyn Finch; lighting, Ralph Neff.

Juniors



Junior Sponsors: Mrs. Fox, Mr. Woodruff and the class officers.

Haines; treasurer, Margaret Doll; social chairmen, Pat Cullen and Bob Holderman. We took charge of the concessions at a football game, and also during the basketball sectionals.

We tried a new project for adding to our treasury by producing the "Junior Follies" on March 8th. We practiced many nights and dug out hidden talents in the members of the class. Sure, we worked hard, but we like to put over big activities.

Of course, the major production of any junior class is the junior class play. We rehearsed weeks in order to make "Junior Miss" a success, and really got a thrill on April 13th, when the curtain rose on our play. On the same day our Junior Pennant appeared, with Pat Cullen as editor.

A large sum of the money which we have made during our semester in EHS was spent on the junior-senior prom,

Since we organized later than the junior and senior classes, as sophomores we worked especially hard in order to make our bank account a big one.

We chose Mrs. Fox and Mr. Woodruff as sponsors, and we elected the following officers: president, Bob Brown; vice president, Gordon Anderson; secretary, Pat Cullen; treasurer, Margaret Doll; and social chairmen, Harriet Holdeman and Bob Holderman. When we sold cokes and ice cream at the LaPorte-Elkhart basketball game on December 30th, we began to realize that even though such work was pretty tiring, class activities can really be fun.

We got busy on committees so that our first class party would go over big, and even planned a skit for sophs only in order to advertise the "Flannel Fling". Bob Bliss's band furnished music for dancing, and Mildred Goard, Roberta Simmons, Pat Cullen, Jim Troyer, and Bob Holderman took over the entertainment at intermission.

Activities such as publications, sports, and clubs kept us after school (sometimes we stayed for other reasons, too) . . . We had our first struggles with homework . . . Our second party, a picnic brought us together as real friends . . . We made a strong foundation for our junior year.

At the fall election, we kept the same sponsors, and chose the following people to lead our junior activities: President, Bob Brown; vice president, Kenneth Ingram; secretary, Byron

which was held in the Athenian Ballroom of the Hotel Elkhart on May 26th. Decorations planned by Helen Schult carried out the theme, "Celestial Ball", and that Art Sipress band kept us dancing till the very end. The plans for the prom were made by the committees of the following chairmen: refreshments, Mildred Goard; entertainment, Roberta Simmons; publicity, Eris Black; tickets, Margaret Doll; chaperones, Gloria Bilancio, programs and invitations, Lillian Jackson, and flowers, Bob Brown.

Margaret Doll, Pat Cullen, Margery Waterman, Gordon Anderson, Harriet Holdeman, Bob Brown, Bill Patterson, Paul Verhagen and Betty Gorney chose our class rings, which have a round set this year, rather than the rectangular shape usually selected.

But don't think that we're the all-work-and-no-play type of kids. We're going to have a picnic to celebrate the close of school, when we can look back on a year well spent.

Class of '46

Row 1: Adamo, T., Akin, D., Aldendorf, M., Alwine, C., Alt, M., Anderson, B.

Row 2: Anderson, G., Anderson, R., Andresen, P., Arbogast, B., Augustine, L., Bader, E.

Row 3: Bailey, A., Barker, K., Bevington, M., Bueter, S., Bibbo, R., Biddle, H.

Row 4: Bigelow, J., Bigler, L., Bilancio, G., Bilancio, J., Billington, R., Bittinger, N.

Row 5: Black, E., Black, R., Bliss, R., Bly, J., Bloom, B., Bohs, B.

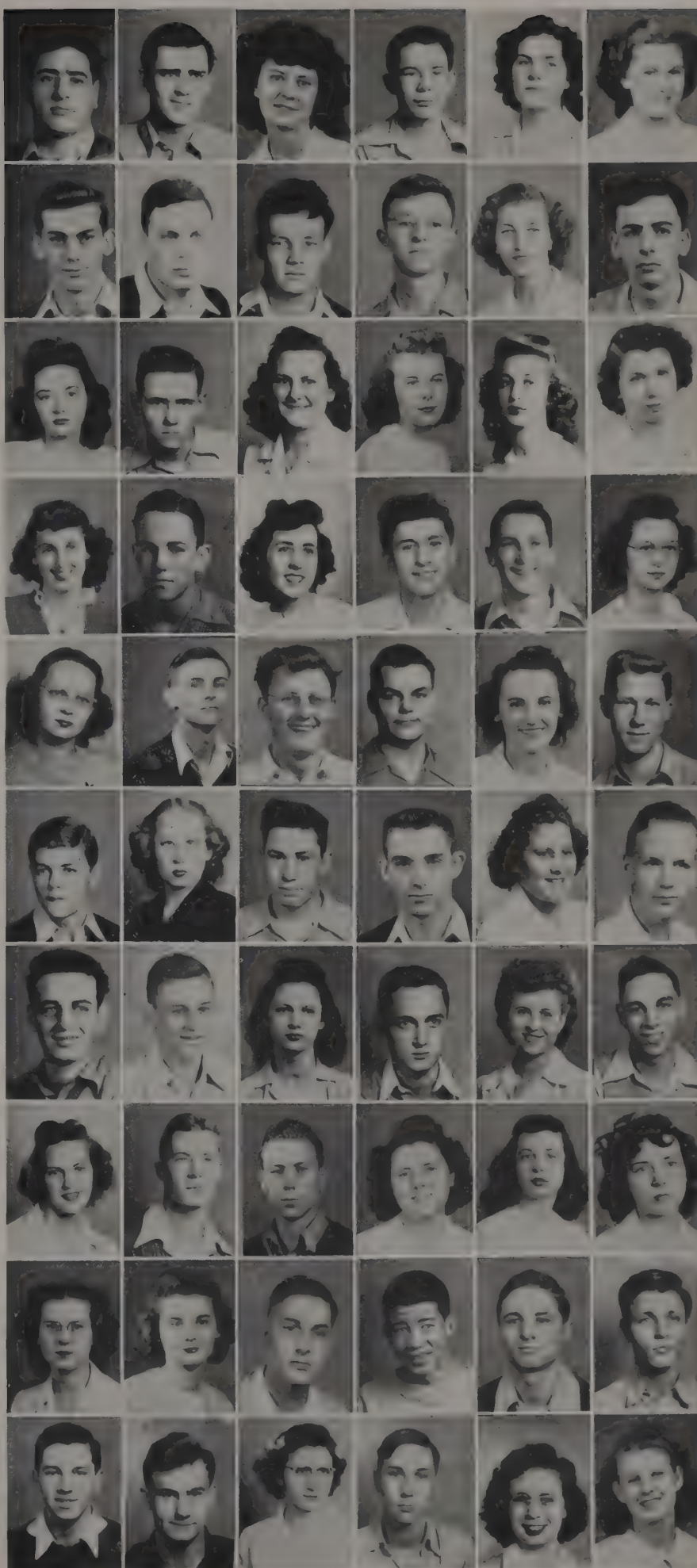
Row 6: Boomershine, B., Bortner, D., Bowman, F., Bradley, P., Brant, M., Brickman, H.

Row 7: Brigant, F., Brown, D., Brown, J., Brown, R., Brothers, D., Bryant, M.

Row 8: Bueter, E., Bugh, B., Burns, C., Busenburg, B., Busenburg, D., Burch, M.

Row 9: Butterfield, J., Cadman, J., Calvert, J., Campbell, W., Carusillo, J., Cavanaugh, J.

Row 10: Chilcote, D., Clark, L., Click, E., Cook, R., Costic, J., Kirby, M.



Juniors



Row 1: Cripe, J., Cullen, P., Darling, C., Datena, A., Davis, C., Davis, H.

Row 2: De Luca, V., Deiner, C., Demorest, H., Denlinger, E., Dettweiler, B., Devito, L.

Row 3: De Young, B., Dick, B., Dickerhoff, P., Dickey, L., Doll, M., Doncaster, D.

Row 4: Doty, F., Downey, B., Draker, D., Dunlavy, E., Holdeman, H., Eckstein, N.

Row 5: Eikholtz, P., Elkins, B., Engelhardt, I., Eppers, J., Ernst, M., Estes, L.

Row 6: Evans, J., Facey, R., Fager, P., Farrell, J., Farrington, R., Fedell, D.

Row 7: Fisher, P., Flauding, B., Fluke, E., Ford, B., Frye, C., Fuller, B.

Row 8: Gardner, W., Garl, M., Ganger, J., Gannon, E., Gilbert, F., Glick, L.

Row 9: Goard, M., Goetz, D., Golden, D., Gorney, B., Gravender, R., Griffin, W.

Row 10: Grove, A., Grove, J., Haines, B., Haines, M., Haines, M., Hagerty, M.

Class of '46

Row 1: Hampel, P., Hapner, J., Hart, D.,
Harthill, A., Hartman, M., Heath, B.

Row 2: Heinhuis, B., Hevelin, R., Herron, D.,
Herring, G., Higgason, D., Hoagland, J.

Row 3: Hoffman, L., Holderman, B., Holmes,
B., Holley, D., Hoon, K., Hoover, M.

Row 4: Horn, M., Hugg, D., Huster, P., In-
gram, K., Ivins, P., Jacobs, N.

Row 5: Jackson, L., Jackson, T., Jenkins, S.,
Jennings, L., James, M., Jellison, J.

Row 6: Johnson, D., Johnson, J., Johnson, J.,
Jones, N., Keeley, B., Keidash, F.

Row 7: Kiefer, J., Kendall, B., Kentner, K.,
Kern, T., Keyser, R., Kiefer, D.

Row 8: Kindig, L., King, B., King, J., Kiser,
P., Klein, H., Klose, B.

Row 9: Koher, J., Kouack, M., Kreps, W.,
Kuehn, F., Lambo, T., Lang, J.

Row 10: Lapham, N., La Rocque, D., Lavery,
R., Lane, W., Leonard, S., Lehman, C.



Juniors



Row 1: Lerner, D., Light, V., Locke, B., Long, D., Long, J., Loop, C.

Row 2: Lovett, A., Lucchese, J., Lusher, J., Lusher, S., McCreary, H., McKean, J.

Row 3: Maggert, D., Magnusen, P., Mann, G., Manthe, P., Masten, M., Marbeiter, L.

Row 4: Marks, J., Martin, B., Martin, W., Matt, C., Meadows, M., Merrick, F.

Row 5: Merrick, E., Metzler, E., Michael, S., Michals, L., Miller, B., Miller, D.

Row 6: Miller, F., Miller, S., Mills, J., Moderau, H., Mohnsenn, D., Moore, H.

Row 7: Mossey, J., Myers, J., Myers, M., Neff, B., Nelson, J., Nelson, M.

Row 8: Neu, D., Newman, B., Noffsinger, J., Nusbaum, T., O'Dell, R., O'Herren, D.

Row 9: Oklitz, J., Overhulser, M., Owens, M., Park, D., Park, G., Parker, K.

Row 10: Patterson, B., Pease, C., Pegg, F., Pero, G., Pettit, A., Petty, G.

Class of '46

Row 1: Pletcher, E., Pontius, M., Primavera, B., Ray, R., Rader, B., Reber, V.

Row 2: Replogle, D., Reser, B., Richardson, R., Richter, J., Riggle, M., Rink, S.

Row 3: Rish, D., Ritter, D., Ritter, P., Robertson, J., Robertson, W., Rockwell, M.

Row 4: Rodewald, P., Rogers, M., Rogers, V., Rohn, V., Ross, C., Roose, P.

Row 5: Gouker, P., Rowe, N., Roy, P., Sacro, B., Sailor, D., Sands, B.

Row 6: Sawyer, J., Schult, H., Schultz, R., Schrock, L., Schroeder, B., Schwartz, C.

Row 7: Schenk, M., Schultz, M., Schnelle, C., Sensenbaugh, N., Sevison, R., Sibert, J.

Row 8: Sickels, B., Simmons, R., Sinton, C., Shafer, B., Sholin, B., Smith, B.

Row 9: Smith, B., Smith, C., Smith, D., Smole, T., Spaug, R., Stackhouse, J.

Row 10: Stahly, J., Stanley, M., Stephenson, P., Stepic, W., Sleeper, G., Stewart, B.





Juniors, Class of '46

Row 1: Stickney, D., Stiver, W., Stone, R.,
Strom, G., Stump, E., Super, J.

Row 2: Swarts, J., Swihart, C., Snyder, J.,
Szobody, T., Thompson, J., Tidd, L.

Row 3: Timpe, K., Troup, W., Troyer, J.,
Ulery, M., Ummel, P., Ummel, P.

Row 4: Unger, W., Van Wormer, E., Vre-
dingburgh, G., Wagoner, C., Walker, C.,
Wall, P.

Row 5: Walters, E., Walters, F., Walters, P.,
Waltz, D., Ward, R., Waterman, M.

Row 6: Waterman, M., Waterman, M., Wat-
rous, R., Weaver, C., Wendland, J., White, B.

Row 7: White, G., Whitfield, G., Wicks, W.,
Wiegner, J., Wilkinson, L., Williams, E.

Row 8: Williams, R., Williams, R., Wilsey,
R., Windmiller, H., Witmer, H., Wine, C.

Row 9: Witwer, C., Waterman, R., Wozniak,
A., Verhagen, P., Yeakey, S., Yergin, V.

Row 10: Yoder, J., Young, M., Young, V.,
Troyer, G., Vitek, F., Shelley, J.

The junior class presents, "Junior Miss"



The Graves family.

Slapping on the paint.

"Glad to know you, J. P."

Judy's in trouble again.

The junior class play, "Junior Miss," a three-act comedy was presented in the high school auditorium, April 13 at 8:00 p.m. The play was directed by Miss Ruth Agnew, and, the scenery was supervised by Mrs. Alice Fox, class sponsor.

The merriment in the plot is caused by Judy, a girl of thirteen and her sophisticated sister, Lois. Conversations that Judy and her friend, Fuffy, had concerning their long lost Uncle Willis, helped to keep things rolling. Then for a clever, but confusing, climax, Harry Graves lost his job and Judy, at last, had to step in to clear up the mess which she had created.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Harry Graves	Craig Davis
Grace Graves	Margery Waterman
Lois Graves	Joan Cadman
Judy Graves	Carolyn Lehman
Fuffy Adams	Wilma Griffin
J. P. Curtis	Kenny Ingram

Ellen Curtis	Gloria Bilancio
Willis Reynolds	Bob Bugh

Minor parts were taken by: Elmer Denlinger, Betty Busenburg, Charles Walker, Charles Pease, Bob Billington, Paul Andresen, Bruce Arbogast, Dick Herron, Charles Bryant, and Fred Miller.

Student Directors	Margaret Doll, Pat Cullen, Harriet Holdeman, and Lillian Jackson.
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Committees were: properties, Phyllis Gouker, Ch., Jane Nelson, Barbara Ford, Russell Williamson, Paul Rodewald, Sally Lusher, Tony Lambo, and Velma Yergin; scenery, Jim Swarts, Ch., Bill Sickels, Fern Pegg, Helen Schult, Janet Stahley, Fred Beals; lighting, Fred Beals, Dick Gravender; costumes, Billie Klose, Millie Goard; make-up, Lillian Estes, Peggy Fager; publicity, Charles Schwartz, Ch., Joe Thompson, Jean Richter; tickets, Myron Haines, Jim Troyer, Mary Lou Pontius, Beverly Rader, Norma Eckstein, and Bill White. Stage managers were Colleen Smith and Jean Stackhouse.

Sophomores



Off to a good start, the soph officers and sponsors, Mrs. Sickels and Mr. Hart.

You might call us slow, but elections and class organizations on large scale are new to us, and we wanted to really know what we were doing before we made any definite conclusions. Our sponsors, Mr. Hart, and Mrs. Sickels, have helped us to get on the beam. These are the officers whom we chose to lead us in our sophomore year: president, Tom Armstrong; vice-president, Jean Kreighbaum; secretary, Pat Korn; treasurer, Bob Dillon; and social chairmen, Richard Berlick, and Janeth McLaughlin.

We called our party, which was held on May 14, in the

gym, the "May Maneuvers", following late spring traditions of maypoles, flowers, and games. The sophs furnished their own entertainment by acting in impromptu skits in small groups. The refreshments were also in the proper spirit, flower decorated cakes and individual ice cream cups. Diana Voras planned decorations; Delores Lieberenz, refreshments; Janeth McLaughlin, entertainment, and Pete Fleming, publicity.

We've been a little too busy with geometry and biology to work on many class activities, but next year we'll be in the swing of things!

Class of '47

Row 1: Adamo, C., Adamo, M., Adams, T., Allan, J., Alwine, J., Ambrose, P., Anderson, S., Anger, H. Arko, W.

Row 2: Armstrong, L., Armstrong, T., Arnold, R., Antonelli, S., Backert, E., Bader, E., Bahr, B., Bailey, G., Bails, B.

Row 3: Baker, R., Baker, J., Ball, J., Barnes, B., Barnes, M., Barton, M., Baum, B., Beard, R., Beaver, E.

Row 4: Beck, M., Becker, H., Bender, R., Berger, M., Berkey, S., Berk, J., Berlick, D., Bernard, R., Berry, M.

Row 5: Best, E., Best, S., Betts, R., Bevington, P., Biggs, M., Biggs, S., Bilancio, A., Bloom, C., Boggs, B.

Row 6: Bond, W., Borneman, M., Borrer, D., Bowen, A., Bowers, C., Bowlby, L., Bowman, B., Bowman, S., Boyer, R.

Row 7: Boyland, E., Bradley, W., Broadbent, J., Brooks, B., Brubaker, M., Brubaker, G., Bryner, N., Bueter, V., Burk, R.

Row 8: Burkhead, B., Burson, B., Burt, J., Bushong, J., Campanello, G., Canen, I., Cappeletti, D., Cart, E., Carter, W.

Row 9: Carusillo, P., Cavanaugh, R., Chavis, L., Checchio, N., Chifelle, S., Chomer, E., Christophel, J., Clark, D., Clark, R.

Row 10: Clausen, H., Clawson, J., Cline, A., Collier, N., Coney, R., Conley, E., Cook, C., Bradley, M., Richardson, N.



Sophomores



Row 1: Copsey, R., Corpe, L. Corson, B., Corson, C., Cortas, S., Couts, F., Cramer, E., Cripe, E., Crofoot, D.

Row 2: Cummings, D., Cunningham, R., Dambrosia, I., Darell, A., Dascalaff, S., Daub, S., Davenport, P., Davis, M., De Ceault, B.

Row 3: Deckard, D., Deckard, J., Decker, J., Defrees, L., Defrees, M., DeGolier, G., Dettweiler, B., Dickerhoff, D., Dickerhoff, J.

Row 4: Diller, W., Dillon, B., Dinehart, E., Dinehart, J., Doncaster, G., Tom, E., Dorner, D., Dunlap, D., Duwelius, J.

Row 5: Duwelius, I., Dygert, D., Earick, T., Cripe, M., Eash, F., Edmonds, M., Eggleston, T., Ek, N., Embry, D.

Row 6: Enochs, A., Esberg, J., Estes, J., Evans, G., Everette, L., Eykholt, A., Farrell, T., Farrington, A., Fedell, B.

Row 7: Fillio, L., Fink, B., Finney, J., Fleming, D., Fleming, P., Fleener, M., Frederick, P., Freeby, W., Frick, L.

Row 8: Frink, S., Fruchey, C., Frye, A., Fuller, D., Fuller, J., Fuller, N., Furfaro, J., Galbreath, G., Galbreath, L.

Row 9: Garl, H., Garoutte, J., Gaskill, C., Geerts, M., Gehrand, N., Gencreaux, D., Gentzorn, H., Gerber, J., Gibson, J.

Row 10: Gildner, R., Glase, R., Gnagy, C., Good, M., Good, M., Goodwin, R., Gordon, S., Workinger, S., Grabill, J.

Class of '47

Row 1: Graff, B., Grant, J., Grimes, D., Grisamer, J., Grootveld, M., Grove, M., Gumper, R., Hall, F., Hull, J.

Row 2: Harris, N., Hart, B., Hatch, J., Hayden, P., Heffner, H., Hein, M., Heivie, J., Hendrickson, H., Herrli, D.

Row 3: Hickey, D., Hillman, F., Himebaugh, P., Hites, P., Hoff, A., Hogen-dobler, D., Holderman, S., Holmes, K., Holtz, R.

Row 4: Homan, P., Hum-barger, J., Hoover, P., Horn, M., Hostetler, D., Hostetler, J., Houghton, G., Huff, P., Iavagnillio, M.

Row 5: Inge, N., Jackson, V., Johnson, E., Johnson, L., Johnson, M., Johnson, R., Johnson, T., Johnson, W., Jolly, B.

Row 6: Jones, E., Joniak, M., Judson, R., Kalb, M., Kaser, R., Kauffman, B., Keene, K., Kemnitz, J., Kidder, M.

Row 7: Kiefer, P., Keith, M., Killinger, D., Kilmer, G., Kimes, R., Kane, R., Kirby, T., Kiser, P., Kistler, R.

Row 8: Klanowski, R., Klein, N., Kling, W., Kling-er, R., Knoebber, L., Koch-ler, S., Koenig, L., Kolinik, L., Konrad, E.

Row 9: Korn, P., Krowiec, M., Kreighbaum, E., Kreigh-baum, J., Kurtz, G., Lan-dis, H., Long, R., Lang, T., Lantz, R.

Row 10: Laughman, R., Leege, J., Lehman, A., Lem-na, W., Lemna, W., Lemon, S., Lerner, C., Lerner, N., Letner, K.



*Melvin
L. Smith*

Sophomores



Row 1: Lewis, B., Lewis, D., Lichtenberger, D., Lichtenberger, L., Lansche, T., Lightfoot, J., Link, R., Linn, J., Lockwood, C.

Row 2: Long, D., Longacre, V., Lorenz, E., Losee, W., Leer, C., Lull, C., Lusher, J., Lutz, R., Lux, P.

Row 3: Lynch, M., McClintic, D., McCollough, D., McCullough, J., McDonald, M., McKim, F., McLaughlin, J., McMurray, E., Macfarlane, B.

Row 4: Mackey, J., Macumber, F., Madlem, A., Marks, K., Markley, A., Martin, S., Martin, V., Massimilo, L., Mathis, R.

Row 5: Mayer, L., Mead, B., Mecker, J., Merchant, W., Messner, J., Metzler, N., Michels, R., Middleton, R., Miller, B.

Row 6: Miller, D., Miller, D., Milloy, B., Milter, R., Minker, J., Misenner, R., Moderau, H., Montagano, J.

Row 7: Monteith, W., Moore, N., Morehouse, P., Morningstar, P., Mosier, J., Mossey, W., Mowery, B., Boyer, A., Moyer, E.

Row 8: Mahoney, D., Munzenmeier, L., Munz, B., Murphy, D., Murray, C., Murray, C., Myers, H., Naddolny, P., Neff, J.

Row 9: Nellist, E., Nelson, C., Nelson, C., Nelson, D., Nelson, H., Nelson, J., Nelson, B., Netro, R., Newell, L.

Row 10: Nicolai, N., Nicodemus, J., Nicholson, M., Nicholson, N., Noffsinger, J., Noffsinger, G., Mortorff, M., North, R., Nye, J.

Class of '47

Row 1: Noyes, B., Null, D.,
Null, G., Nye, J., O'Dell,
C., Oklitz, K., Ort, P., Ort,
R., Osborne, D.

Row 2: Ott, J., Owens, T.,
Owens, V., Parker, J., Par-
sell, R., Patrick, J., Patrick,
J., Paulin, E., Pawling, J.

Row 3: Pease, J., Peek, S.,
Pedersen, B., Pedersen, D.,
Pegg, L., Pettifer, D., Pe-
triella, F., Phillips, E., Pip-
pinger, P.

Row 4: Platt, B., Platz, R.,
Pomeroy, B., Postma, W.,
Price, J., Paulus, D., Reas,
R., Reed, D., Reese, D.

Row 5: Reiner, C., Reyn-
olds, E., Rheinheimer, S.,
Rhodes, A., Richardson, E.,
Ridgley, J., Rinehart, E.,
Rish, M., Ritter, D.

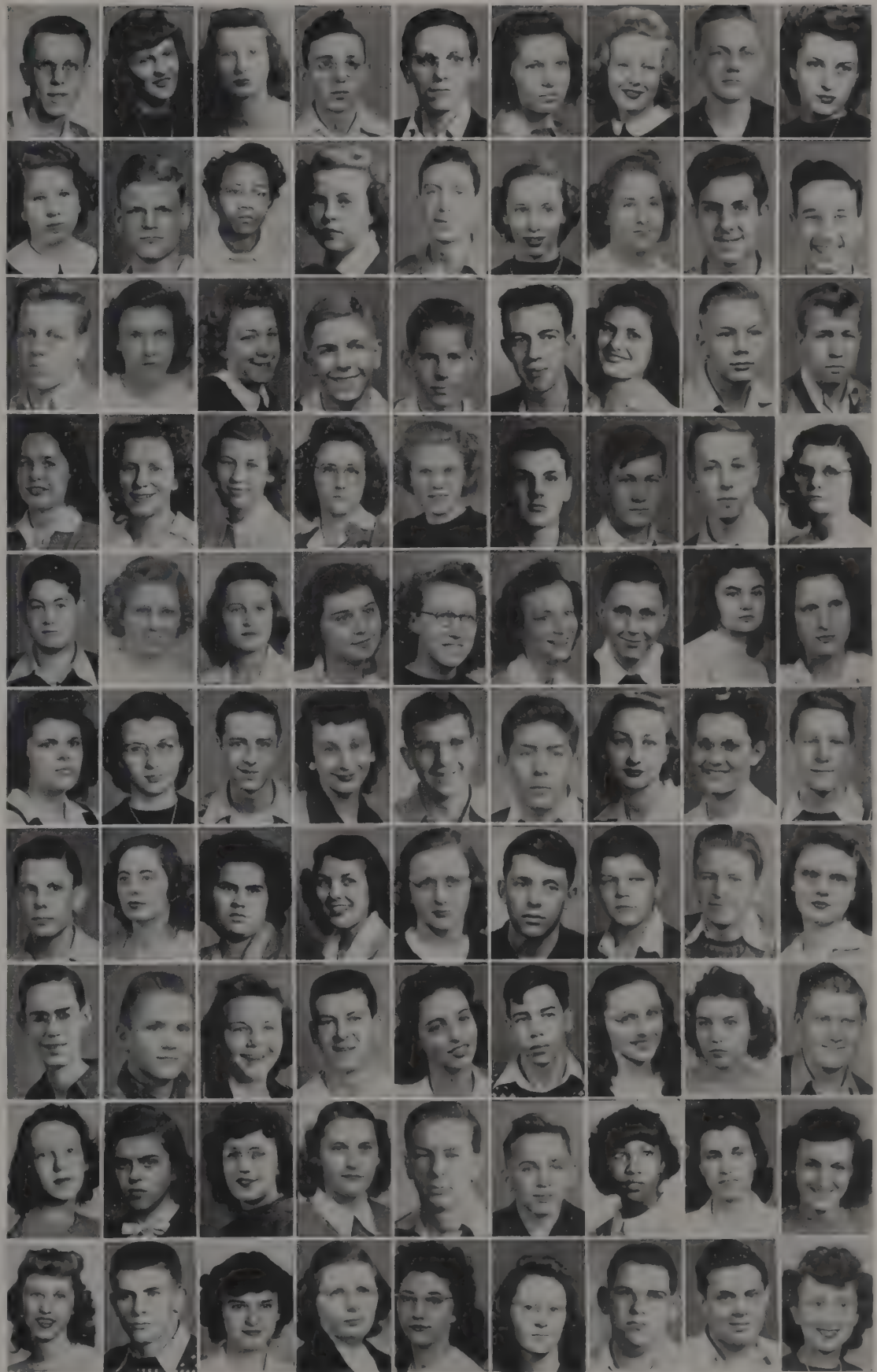
Row 6: Ritter, R., Robbins,
C., Rockwell, C., Rodino,
C., Rodino, S., Rodwick, M.,
Roe, B., Roll, N., Romberg-
er, T.

Row 7: Rose, J., Rosen, E.,
Rosentreter, E., Roth, N.,
Rowe, C., Rowe, T., Rude,
F., Rummel, H., Russell, B.

Row 8: Russell, R., Sands,
J., Sanford, B., Scherer, W.,
Schiltz, B., Schiltz, J.,
Schmidt, J., Scheulke, V.,
Schult, E.

Row 9: Schultz, B., Schultz,
D., Secrist, M., Seegers, J.,
Sellers, D., Shantz, D.,
Shaw, M., Shearer, B., Shu-
pert, G.

Row 10: Shuster, D., Si-
mons, R., Simpson, H., Sin-
ning, M., Slife, D., Sloat,
J., Slough, L., Smeltzer, D.,
Smith, M



Sophomores Class of '47



Row 1: Smith, N., Snyder, R., Speener, L., Stemm, J., Stephenson, S., Stevens, D., Stewart, L., Stickney, D., Stiver, P.

Row 2: Stockwell, H., Stroud, C., Strouse, C., Sutton, B., Swartz, N., Walton, G., Swihart, D., Swihart, T., Swihart, M.

Row 3: Tharp, D., Thornburgh, D., Thorp, A., Tompkins, N., Troeger, H., Troup, N., Troy, W., Troyer, D., Truex, R.

Row 4: Thrump, N., Tweedy, J., Unger, M., Uplinger, B., Valencourt, R., Vance, H., Vinson, W., Verow, B., Vescelus, M.

Row 5: Vetter, B., Voges, V., Volkman, J., Volkman, P., Voras, D., Walker, A., Walters, N., Walton, S., Wambaugh, B.

Row 6: Ward, W., Ware, M., Wargon, P., Wargon, M., Watrous, J., Weaver, B., Weaver, B., Weaver, J., Weaver, W.

Row 7: Weldy, J., Welch, E., Westbrook, J., Wharton, R., Whisler, L., Williams, J., Wilson, P., Wilttrout, E., Windsor, I.

Row 8: Whittaker, J., Wise, R., Whisler, R., Wolf, R., Wood, J., Wortinger, R., Wright, J., Yarbrough, P., Yeazel, N.

Row 9: Yerberger, L., Young, A., Youngblood, M., Zook, R., Beghtel, J., Headley, C., Kissinger, A., Kuncce, D., Mahar, P.

Odd moments with odd numbers...



*Those sophs smiles . . . Carrying charge? . . . Who dat down dere? . . . We like 'em, too! . . . Gals, gams, equal glamour . . . To a brother perhaps?
 . . . Destination—E. H. S. . . . Chem confab . . . Millie solves the puzzle . . . The tall and short of it . . . A great guy.*

We're telling you . . .

Well, here we are, 1200 of us. We're slangy, we're frank, we're messy, we're nutty.

But we think we're not so bad. Let us tell you a few things about ourselves.

You think of us as being flippant and casual about important things; you think we aren't capable of handling responsibilities, BUT



We help govern ourselves. Our Student Council helps make and enforce rules, in making and carrying out school policies, in managing school affairs, through faculty-student committees.



We plan and preside at our own assembly programs, write our own radio shows (with adult aid, of course), and put on our own stamp and bond drives.

Then too, we run our own publications: we sell ads, write copy, edit, proof read. We own all our furnishings and equipment in the publications office; there we handle a business of more than six thousand dollars annually, and are never in the red. Not bad, eh?



For two years, we have been conducting our own youth canteen; now we are all getting together to make a success of the Elkhart Youth Council, which plans for all-school, all-year fun for all.

You lament the days of the “fundamentals,” the three r’s, BUT what about our curricula, suited to the special needs of each student?

There’s John Wiley: he took special shop courses, including blue-print reading. He’s ready for a job at Foster’s.



And there’s Joan Allen who took courses in typing, bookkeeping, and selling. She will work at Ziesel’s until her Marine comes home from the

Pacific. When they are married, she will be a better housewife because she took the senior course in homemaking.



Jazz and boogie-woogie? Sure, we like it, but we like good music, too.

The choir has just been to Chicago to attend the opera, and the band and orchestra members attended a concert of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra this spring. Many of us own classical recordings.

You speak of us as being ill-mannered and careless, YET

Our boys who act as ushers at games and plays serve the public efficiently and courteously. And all of these ushers, as well as our managers service club members, and student assistants handle equipment, property, and money carefully.



We're telling you . . .

We aren't always selfish; we give a lot of time and energy to community affairs, to church organizations, to helping with younger Scouts, to dime lines for local and national charities, to hours of work at the Ration Board, and on many other war projects.



Although our mommas think we are messy, and our lockers look like McGee's hall closet, we do appreciate cleanliness and beauty. Our clothes may be sloppy, but we pride ourselves on that "well-scrubbed look." And as for the beauty of our city, we have had a share in this: the Junior Academy has sold tulip trees, made tree surveys, and planted small evergreens in Rice Field Park.

Lazy? Well, look at this: Foods classes served thirty luncheons and catered for more than forty parties in addition to the class work. They canned 80 quarts of fruits and vegetables.



Clothing classes made 49 new garments and remodeled 96 old ones.

Almost all of us do homework like crazy, really we do . . . hours and hours of it.

Most of all, in speaking of industry, look at our man and woman-power hours. 386 of us have regular jobs in local factories, working 7896 hours per week. 428 of us have part-time jobs in fac-

tories and stores, and many of us have small jobs carrying papers, baby-sitting, and doing other kinds of work.

Necking? Well, pardon us for pointing, but wasn't there a little of that when you were young?



Yeah, we laugh a lot, BUT isn't that the American way? Americans laugh and play, laugh and fight. Our school publications, our banter, our skits, poke fun at our ways and weaknesses; so you see, we can laugh at ourselves, too, and we think that's good.

What do you mean, Juvenile Delinquency? Aren't there any adult delinquents?



Sure some of us get into trouble. We are fined for speeding or taken in for pranks. Sometimes a few of us get into more serious trouble. But, look . . . there are 1200 of us. If you gathered any 1200 people together, wouldn't you have all kinds: good, serious, flip, snobbish,

and a few kinda bad?

Okay, so we're slangy, noisy, fresh, frank, and all the other things you have called us. But we believe that most of our faults come from just being young. We do think seriously of the future; we do want to do the right thing. We believe that with your help and faith we will grow up to be good American citizens.



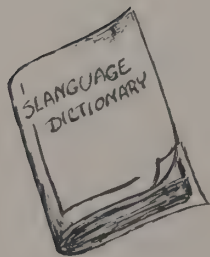
We are just learning our A B C's in handling our emotions, our bodies and minds, our responsibilities, our social life. Are you sure you know your X Y Z's?

Sketches by Roseann Ball.

When we say . . .

"A good deal"

we mean that although we gripe about the time Doc Hughes demands and about being on the decorating committee, or having the simply poisonous job of program chairman, we really wouldn't miss the fun of stringing up ribbons in the morning and dancing under them at night, of proudly wearing club pins, sweaters and jackets, or of seeing the program we slaved over, get that "We want more" applause. We get a big charge out of



Activities



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Pennant Weekly

This year, following the plan of last year, and because of the critical paper shortage, the *Pennant Weekly* was published only once every two weeks. Under the editorship of Virginia Murphy, the paper, with its length increased one and one-half inches, continued to keep the student body informed on all school activities, gossip, sports, and fads.

Special publications included the *Peanut*, or the spring nut issue, and the junior and senior issues. Pat Cullen was editor of the *Junior Pennant*. The staff also assisted in the publishing of the *Pennant* for the 50th anniversary of football in EHS.

Murph lays down the law to the three assistant eds.



Don't look now, but Brown's working.



Andy brings over the Weeklies; Murph makes the deadline.

Pennant Annual

In the 1945 Pennant Annual which has for its theme, "In Our Own Words", we, the staff and sponsor, have tried to catch and hold in words and pictures the "jive lingo" and the "get-ups" and customs of the students of our school.

Faced with a paper shortage, the advertising staff was aided in reducing its pages to WPB requirements by the cooperation of many firms who relinquished their space.

Other wartime shortages made publishing this book difficult so that we feel that we are very lucky to be able to present this '45 yearbook to the student body.

Miss Kelly lets her hair down.

Rosen and company: yearbooks edited.



The invaluable guys and gals behind the staff.

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Those cagey capitalists: the business staff.

National Honor Society



To create enthusiasm for scholarship, stimulate leadership and courage, to encourage development of character—these are the ideals of the National Honor Society.

This service club has to its credit many accomplishments; such as, the attendance banner presented to the home room with the highest percentage of attendance for six weeks; the annual second-hand book sale; the tutoring system, the congratulatory cards sent each six weeks to students outstanding in their studies and to those neither absent nor tardy during the year; and the Christmas greetings sent to former members now in the service.

Preceding the basketball game with John Adams of South Bend on Feb. 16, the club sponsored a Chili supper in the Cafeteria.

To fight absenteeism, the citizenship committee sponsored a campaign and erected a "Do you know" bulletin board near the principal's office.

The War Finance Board has been one of the most active committees, sponsoring home room morale movies and other patriotic assemblies and distributing miniature Jap flags for 100% bond and stamp purchasing home rooms.

Co-sponsors of the National Honor Society are Miss Busche and Miss Broughton. Meetings are held bi-monthly in 205.

Fall semester officers:

Pres. _____ Jim Swihart
Vice-Pres. _____ Marilyn King
Sec. _____ Margaret Bonfiglio
Treas. _____ Bernard Rosen

Spring semester officers:

Pres. _____ Norman Pedersen
Vice-Pres. _____ Barbara Sykes
Sec. _____ Norma Jean Treckelo
Treas. _____ Morris Clement



The set-up for that natural formal stuff.

Sponsors and those helpful officers.

Greetings to members in service.

Student Council

When it comes to student planning and home room suggestions, the Student Council acts as the law-making body of Elkhart Senior High School. The organization of the group is centered about committees, each member having a particular duty.

Many of the standing committees have carried on the work of the preceding year. Five of these projects are the hall traffic regulations, the servicemen's plaque above the auditorium, the handbook which was printed and distributed this year, the activity ticket which has had no direct action, and the visiting servicemen's registry kept in Mr. Smith's office.

In honor of the fiftieth anniversary of football in Elkhart, the Student Council sponsored a pep session before the Goshen-Elkhart game. Outstanding features of this program were: the presentation of Mr. Archie Pettit, a member of the 1894 team; the debut of the girl cheerleaders; and the presentation of an anniversary cake to the 1894 team members.

The council holds hour-long meetings once a month. At other times members meet regularly on Fridays in the library. Co-sponsors are Mr. Smith and Mr. Gemmecke.

Fall semester officers:

Pres. Bill Borneman
Vice-Pres. Virginia Jenner
Sec. Pat Cullen
Treas. Gordon Anderson
Parl. Byron Haines

Spring semester officers:

Pres. Bill Borneman
Vice-Pres. Maxine Noffsinger
Sec. Virginia Light
Treas. Gordon Anderson
Parl. Carolyn Rowe



Checking in with Haines.

Gordy puts it to sponsor Smith.

Posing in the regular meeting-place.



Junior Academy of Science

This club, sponsored by Miss Wagoner and Mr. Adams, welcomes anyone interested in any science to the bi-monthly meetings held in 319 after school. Each member is made a certified member by earning seventy-five honor points a year.

The Junior Academy of Science promoted scientific interest by offering informative speakers and lectures. Individual and group projects, such as field trips, are encouraged. One group, Betty Weaver, Rosanna Munch, and Marilyn Finch, graduating seniors, visited the Museum of Science and Industry in Chicago.

The two major projects before the club this year were the tree survey and tree planting. This survey is covering the entire city, determining the location, condition, and identification of all trees. This is hoped to be finished by next fall. The planting of 2000 coniferous trees on a sandy hill at Rice Field was done as a conservation project. Ten years from now this spot should be a lovely place.

Fall semester officers:

Pres. _____ Phyllis Hall
Vice-Pres. _____ Phyllis Gouker
Sec.-Treas. _____ Marilyn Finch

Spring semester officers:

Pres. _____ Marilyn Finch
Vice-Pres. _____ Phyllis Gouker
Sec.-Treas. _____ Jim Troyer

Planning the tree survey.

Biology bugs and sponsors.



Planting today for beauty tomorrow.

Threshold

Stuck away in a corner in 109, the *Threshold* staff can be found any seventh hour, hard at work. At the beginning of the year, the "green" staff, with a new editor and an almost entirely new staff, decided to be progressive and make a few changes. The first and most important change was the use of a photographic cover, instead of the usual plain color cover. The staff also voted to conduct their own business affairs. After reading, choosing, typing, proof-reading, wading through galley sheets, dummy making, and so forth, the December issue came off the presses without too many last minute complications.

Immediately after publication the staff began work on the spring issue. Many hours were spent reading fables, poetry, limericks, word-pictures, book reports, and other items. The spring issue was published May 4, and after finishing the business, the staff spent the remaining weeks enjoying themselves.

Staff members for the year:

Virginia Jenner, *editor*
Barbara Sykes
Margaret Bonfiglio
Bill Montieth
Collen Shea
Sue Berkey
Jean Marks
Peter Fleming

Betty Neff, Roger Parsell, and Robert Billington were added to the staff at the mid-semester, when Peter Fleming and Bill Montieth resigned because of program difficulties.



The seniors do the thinking, and



the galley slaves do the work.

Girl Reserves

The crippled children's Christmas party, one way in which the G. R.'s demonstrate their purpose of serving the community and making a better understanding and fellowship among girls.

Among their varied programs were skits, song fests, speakers, entertainers, and discussion groups. A few of the outstanding programs featured were Mrs. Ross Martin speaking on her unusual collection of bells, Mrs. Connie Sykes and Mr. Lee Hickie entertaining on the piano and drums, Christmas caroling with the Hi-Y's, a plunge party at the Y. M. C. A., and a Lenten discussion of religions with Rabbi Stephen Sherman of South Bend and Father Conroy and Reverend L. S. Ashley of Elkhart.

The club made and sold chrysanthemum corsages for the golden anniversary football game; they helped sell Easter lilies for the crippled children's benefit; they sponsored the Sweetheart Swing, Doormat Drag and Tournery Twirl, and joined the Hi-Y in sponsoring the Liddle Guidance Lectures.

The 1945 Northern Indiana Conference was held in Elkhart February 17 with "Girl Reserve Hit Parade" as the theme.

Because of the number of working high school girls the first meeting of every month was held in the evening.

Cabinet members elected for the year were:

Pres.	Virginia Jenner	Prog. Chair.	Gloria Bilancio
1st Vice-Pres.	Marilyn Finch	Pub. Chair.	Virginia Murphy
2nd Vice-Pres.	Marjory Monger	Ser. Chair.	Phyllis Gouker
Sec.	Margaret Bonfiglio	Music Chair.	Diana Johnson
Treas.	Mary Lou Niblock	Soph. Rep.	Carolyn Rowe,
Soc. Chair.	Marilyn King		Marilyn Rish



The "Sweetheart Swing".

Program building with Miss Prusia's and



the Cabinet's aid.

Hi-Y

During weekly meetings at the Y. M. C. A. fifty members of the senior Hi-Y enjoy their programs and activities for the year under the guidance of Mr. J. M. Guest, Boys' Secretary.

The Hi-Y boys, like their sister G. R.'s, are interested in Christian standards for personal living and school life.

Highlights of the club's activities were the annual Christmas holiday dime line for the underprivileged children, the annual Father-Son Banquet at which time the Beardsley citizenship awards were presented, the sale of football schedule pencils, the members serving as advisors for the weekly Gra-Y grade school clubs, and the Liddle Guidance Talks.

For the club itself, the traditional red sweaters were ordered and membership cards distributed.

Among the social events were the Tourney dances sponsored by the Y. M. and the Y. W., the swimming parties in the Y. M. pool, caroling with the G. R.'s at Christmas, a talk by a Civil Air Patrol representative, and a visit to the Central Fire Station.

The officers attended the district conference at Culver Military Academy on March 21 and five members went to the state conference at Richmond during the Thanksgiving vacation.

Fall semester officers:
 Pres. _____ Tom Montieth
 Vice-Pres. _____ Irving Rosen
 Sec. _____ Townsend Gutermuth
 Treas. _____ Bill Patterson
 Soc. Chair. _____ Dick Rish
 Prog. Chair. _____ Bill Osborne

Spring semester officers:
 Pres. _____ Morris Clement
 Vice-Pres. _____ Dick Rish
 Sec. _____ Bill Montieth
 Treas. _____ Dan Swihart
 Soc. Chair. _____ Tom Corson
 Prog. Chair. _____ Dick Stout



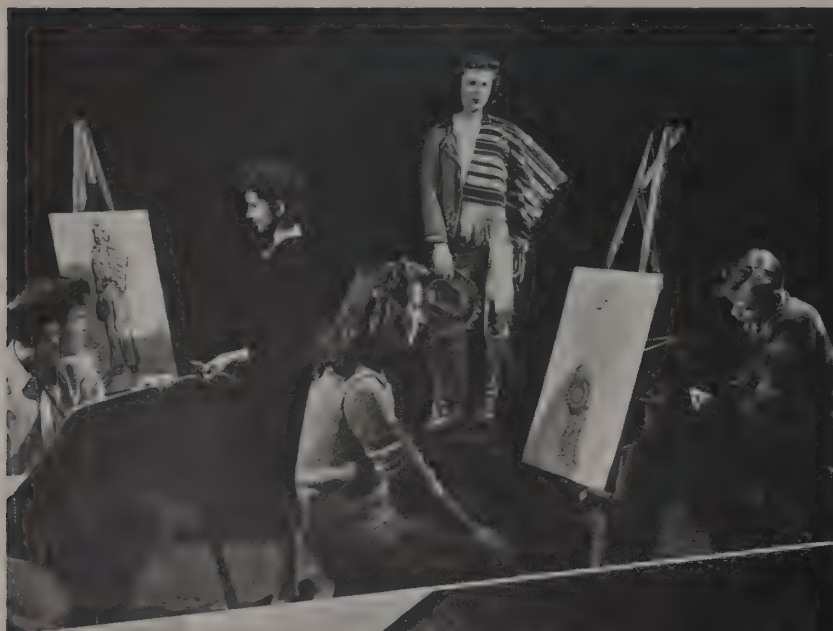
"Put a dime on the line."



Lining up, the three-way code.

Looking over the club constitution.

The Paint and Palette



La senorita poses.

Sculptors of tomorrow.



Officers take it easy.

The newly-named art club this year, with the cooperation of the art classes, painted a beautiful Christmas mural on the windows above the main entrance. Another of the projects for the student body was the poster service.

During meetings, the members undertook worthwhile, educational, and cultural programs. Along these lines, Miss Broughton of the high school faculty discussed European architecture and art. Joe Bly, a club member, gave a talk

on French Art and the club visited Mr. Richard Wiley at his home in order to see his art collection. During other meetings, the members made clay figurines and painted scenes and models.

Two pot-luck supper initiations were held this year, one in September and one in April. Thirty-five prospective artists were initiated.

Paint and Palette club members may easily be distinguished by their pins, which are tiny palettes.

Fall semester officers:

Pres. Margaret Bonfiglio
Vice-Pres. Frances Bueter
Sec. Mary Jane Schultz
Treas. Barbara Grabill
Soc. Chair. Joel Alwine,
Marilyn Beck

Spring semester officers:

Pres. Margaret Bonfiglio
Vice-Pres. Frances Bueter
Sec. Ramona Middleton
Treas. Barbara Grabill
Soc. Chair. Duane Draker,
Donna Clark
Prog. Chair. Joel Alwine
Pub. Chair. Joe Bly

Ushers Club

Without the Ushers' Club, all events in the auditorium and gym wouldn't be very well organized. Their purpose is "to provide efficient and courteous ushers and check-room service when needed, for all school affairs."

Ushering projects undertaken this year have been all football and basketball games, both the junior and senior class plays, and special auditorium programs such as the Dr. Crane lecture.

Check-room services have been operated on a larger scale

than ever before. Much planning, partitioning and studying of the auditorium, layout is necessary before each ushering project. During the basketball sectionals, held in the gym, our club had its greatest efficiency test. We have also served for the youth recreation dances in the gym.

Special usher badges, paid for by the proceeds from the check-room service, were purchased this year.

Mr. Updike sponsors this group of thirty-five boys.

Fall semester officers:

Pres.	Dick Manges
Vice-Pres.	Ed Court
Sec.-Treas.	Bob Stackhouse (resigned)
	Eugene Swartz

Spring semester officers:

Pres.	Dick Manges
Vice-Pres.	Eugene Swartz
Sec.-Treas.	Bill Sickels

On the fence . . .



Manges assigns posts.



Service with a smile.

Triple L

Polishing school-wide trophies, distributing Tuberculosis Christmas Seal posters, sponsoring a war bond and stamp assembly, bringing the total for the school drive to over \$15,000, a pep session, serving as a hospitality committee for the Northern Indiana Instrumental and Vocal Contests, and keeping the lost and found department in order are but a few of the ways the Triple L girls demonstrate their abilities.

As the Triple L stands for learning, loyalty, and leadership, the purpose is to promote school activities and higher scholarship.

On May 12, the girls donned their party dresses and danced with the Blue Jackets to the theme of "Moonlight Mood" at the annual spring dinner dance sponsored by these two clubs.

The club is proud of its active membership of 120 sophomores, juniors, and seniors. Equally proud are they of their two new sponsors, Miss Deal and Miss Scheidler.

Fall semester officers:

Pres. _____ Mary Lou Niblock
Vice-Pres. _____ Marcia Hile
Sec. _____ Barbara Ford
Treas. _____ Barbara Rowe
Soc. Chair. _____ Dorothy Doll
Sgt. at Arms _____ Marjory Monger

Spring semester officers:

Pres. _____ Mary Lou Niblock
Vice-Pres. _____ Nathene Farnsworth
Sec. _____ Barbara Ford
Treas. _____ Barbara Rowe
Soc. Chair. _____ Dorothy Doll
Sgt. at Arms _____ Joanne Shelley



The Triple L's clean trophies . . .

Pledging a new member.

conduct "Lost and Found."

Blue Jackets

Every other Tuesday at 7:15 the Blue Jackets step out to a meeting of fun and food or settle down to more serious things.

On Dec. 7 they joined with the Triple L's in sponsoring a war stamp and bond assembly. Also with the girls' club they sold tickets for the Kolb Brothers Circus held in the auditorium and distributed and sold the Football Golden Anniversary Pennant Weekly.

In initiations held in the cafeteria and the gym on Oct. 3 and Feb. 20, forty-seven new members were added to the roll.

The club increased their treasury by selling candy and

cokes at the South Bend Central football game and Napanee basketball game.

The club had a sport clothes party at the Elkhart Conservation Club and highlighted their social activities by dancing and dining with the Triple L's at the "Moonlight Mood" dinner dance on May 12.

Fall semester officers:

Pres. Norman Pedersen
Vice-Pres. Morris Clement
Sec. Bernard Rosen
Treas. Jim Swihart
Soc. Chair. Tom Corson
Prog. Chair. Dick Manges
Parl. Irving Rosen
Dev. Chair. Bill Mecker

Spring semester officers:

Pres. Norman Pedersen
Vice-Pres. Byron Haines
Sec. Don Correll
Treas. Dick Akin
Soc. Chair. Tom Corson
Prog. Chair. Morris Clement
Parl. Dick Hart
Dev. Chair. Myron Haines



"Get your ice-cold cokes here."

"Target for tonight."

The boys get together.

Visual Education



Likins wises up the officers

Officers elected for the year:
 Pres. _____ Richard Wilsey
 Vice-Pres. _____ Charles Bryant
 Sec. _____ Dick Chilcote
 Treas. _____ Lewis Bigler

The Visual Ed. boys as trained movie operators of Elkhart High School are responsible for all the movie programs given in the school. Their duties are many and are not always easily fulfilled. Due to wartime difficulties film deliveries are sometimes delayed and the equipment is greatly overused, making repair work difficult.

These boys, under the instruction of Mr. Virgil Likins, are grouped together as home room 308 meeting every day the home room hour.

In addition to the regular duty of operating the projector for school assemblies and special study groups, these boys have the job of making slides, and the showing of these when needed. Oftentimes groups such as the P. T. A., Sunday Evening Club and night classes require operators, which the club supplies.

The clubs outstanding project this year was the showing of the movie, "The Phantom Sea." This was run on a regular movie basis, the proceeds going towards the club's yearbook page.



and the club reels off the work.

Discobolus

The Discobolus Club opened its season with election of officers and an initiation of one hundred fifty new members under the guidance of their new sponsor, Miss Cart.

During the fall semester the girls were active in basketball, bowling, and swimming.

Elkhart and Bristol girls participated in a play-day in the gym at the beginning of the spring semester. Each group entered three teams in the basketball competition with Bristol winning four out of six games.

The spring sports program of swimming, softball, badminton, and tennis, was concluded with the annual banquet in May. Miss Pat Baron, first president of Discobolus, was the main speaker. At this time awards were presented.

During the year an award system was established in order to honor all-around participation in sports. The award, the white chenille Discus thrower, was given on a point basis for sportsmanship, attendance, and interest in the activities of the club.



Charm and cheesecake.

Fall semester officers:

Pres. _____ Marjory Monger
Vice-Pres. _____ Barbara Stroud
Sec. _____ Pat Cullen
Treas. _____ Eleanor Gates
Soc. Chair. _____ Margaret Bonfiglio
Sgt. at Arms _____ Betty Miller

Spring semester officers:

Pres. _____ Margaret Doll
Vice-Pres. _____ Margaret Bonfiglio
Sec. _____ Pat Cullen
Treas. _____ Eleanor Gates
Soc. Chair. _____ Sharlee Best
Sgt. at Arms _____ Shirley Rheinheimer



Six sports, six honeys.

The Wig and Cue

"All the world's a stage" to members of the Wig and Cue dramatics club. By popular demand this club was organized late in the fall semester under the sponsorship of Miss Agnew.

Experience and knowledge in play production and stagecraft has been gained by giving short one-act plays, impromptu skits, shadow plays, student reports on stage technique and management, and hearing talks by outside speakers. Miss Busche presented to the club an interesting review of the stage play, "Harriet."

The club's highest ambition has been to join the National Thespian Society, an affiliation with high school dramatics clubs throughout the nation. Another ambition was the formation of an all school dancing class. This became a reality when on March 6, 1945, nearly two hundred students turned out to teach and learn dancing. These lessons continued for several weeks as a preparation for the Junior Prom.

Officers elected for the year were:

Pres.	Jack Ruff
Vice-Pres.	Sally Lusher
Sec.	Marilyn Rish
Treas.	Pat Korn
Prog. Chair.	Roger Parsell, Roberta Simmons
Sgt. at Arms	Jim Cavanaugh



Shades of Shakespeare.



Backstage blunders.



Dreaming up dramas.

Guys, gals and gay times . . .



Pease sends us . . . We're smooth at formals . . . The Doormat Drag . . . Our ideal couple drags in . . . Same old corn . . . Brown auctions Miss K's cup . . . Manpower shortage! . . . Orchids to Margaret . . . Niccum, M. C.; the Christmas spirit . . . The gals sink one . . . Betty buys an extra bond.



The ideas and opinions of the personnel of the Elkhart High School Band and Orchestra are discussed by the members of the staff who are pictured here. Along with the Music Parents

BAND STAFF PERSONNEL

Dick Church	Betty Osterloo
Robert Bliss	Roberta Simmons
Gordon Anderson	

The Elkhart High School Symphonic Band

DAVID HUGHES, *Director*
HOWARD KILBERT, *Associate Director*

FLUTES
Nathene Farnsworth
Patricia Stephenson
Roberta Simmons
Anne Cline
Edith Rosen
Bruce Arbogast
Patricia O'Donnell
Doris Killinger
OBOES
Dorothy Higgason
Betty Dick
Betty Miller
ENGLISH HORN
Dorothy Higgason
CLARINETS
Kenneth Ingram
Fred Couts
Charlotte Hostetler
Phyllis Manthe
Herman Moderau
Carolyn Van Doren
Jean Wright

Ralph Cortas
Pearl Borror
Robert Wesselhoft
Louanne Ashby
Jo Anne Moderau
Gay Smith
Joann Essig
Sarah Thornton
Jane Rosenberger
Wilbur Losee
Dean Golden
Phyllis Wood
Joanne Tweedy
Robert Zimmerman
Patricia Eichholtz
Sally Davis
ALTO CLARINETS
Dick Neu
Eleanor Reynolds
Gretchen Diltz
Bryce Bressler
BASS CLARINET'S
Ramona Middleton

Anne Casey
Joyce Srivier

BASSOONS
Anne Arbogast
Henry Denman

CONTRA BASSOON
Henry Denman
CONTRA BASS

CLARINET
Shirley Walton

ALTO SAXOPHONES
James Grove
Richard Gravender
Carol Jean Dills
Carolyn Peterson

TENOR SAXOPHONES
Norman Sensenbaugh
Patricia Hazelwood
William Bugh

BARITONE
SAXOPHONE
Marilyn Edmonds

FRENCH HORNS
Betty Osterloo
Shirley Rheinheimer
Marian Grove
Alan Lobley
Nadine Nicholson
Doris McCollough
David Lerner
Max Updike

CORNETS
Maxine Fields
Richard Church
Ernest Bader
Douglas Sailor
Phillip Monteith
Marcus Barton
Donna Borror
Don Long
Joyce Gerber
Delores Schuster
Bernard Slough

TROMBONES
Gordon Anderson
William Andresen
Byron Kistler
Hollis Becker

Rodney Rockwell
Betty Kauffman
James Konrad

BARITONES
Lloyd Fillio
William Heinhuis
Thomas Owens
Audrey Lichtenberger
Richard Hart
Betty Newman

TUBAS
William Lewis
Jerry Pawling
Roger Babcock
Paul Frederick
Dick Miller
STRING BASS
Betty Meighen
Mary Anne Swartzbaugh

MARIMBAS
Sonia Johnson
Charlotte Nickerson
Betsy Goodrich
Mary Ellen Wargon
Margaret Doll

HARP
Margaret Hoffman

CELESTA
Alice Rhodes

TYMPANI
Robert Bliss

BASS DRUM
Leland Slough

CYMBALS
Alpha Jean Harthill

SIDE DRUMS
Robert Downey
John Wiegner
Clinton Loop
Charles Pease
Lawrence Munzenmaier

BAGGAGE BOYS
David Howard, Mgr.
Ned Markey
David Schupert
Kenneth Hall
Robert Hartranft



Club, the staff acts as an advisory body to offer constructive criticisms and suggested changes of policy in the music department. The staff also arranges and plans the social activities of their organizations during the year.



ORCHESTRA STAFF
PERSONNEL

Betty Meighen
Elizabeth Konrad
Alice Rhodes

Robert Lavery
Robert Reser

The Elkhart High School Symphony Orchestra

DAVID HUGHES, *Director*

LORETTA CARLSON, *Associate Director*

1st VIOLINS
Robert Reser
Theodore Johnson
Alice Rhodes
Virginia Hogue
Bonnie Phillips
Robert Lavery
Ellsworth Moyer
Thelma Farrell
Eugene Mann
Joan Neu
Joan White
Ronald Walton

2nd VIOLINS
Dorothy Brothers
Joan Neff
Mary Ellen Shamory
Randall Hamilton
Colleen Shamory
Jeanne Horne

Marilyn White
Betty Phillips
Dorothy Huffman
Eleanor Richardson
Ramah Ritter
Betty Jean Sutton

VIOLAS
Elizabeth Konrad
Dorothy Jenner
Carol Dietz
Dorothy Zinn
Ida Neff
Ella Mae Click
Isabelle Duwelius

CELLOS
Gloria Walton
David Howard
Marjorie Van Doehren
Leah Gordon

Darda Troyer
Patricia Neff
John Borneman
Norris Freed
STRING BASSES
Betty Meighen
Mary Anne Swartzbaugh
Stanley Dascaloff
Blondell Burson
Joan Vogt
Mary Alice Weiss
Mozell Shaw
Ramona Spirito
FLUTES
Nathene Farnsworth
Patricia Stephenson
Robert Simmons
Anne Cline

OBOES
Dorothy Higgason
Betty Dick

ENGLISH HORN
Dorothy Higgason

CLARINETS
Kenneth Ingram
Fred Coutts
Charlotte Hostetler
Phyllis Manthe

BASSOONS
Anne Arbogast
Henry Denman

BASS CLARINET
Ramona Middleton

CONTRA BASSOON
Henry Denman

FRENCH HORNS
Betty Osterloo
Shirley Rheinheimer
Marian Grove
Alan Loblely
Nadine Nicholson
Doris McCollough

CORNETS
Maxine Fields

Richard Church
Ernest Bader
Donna Borror

TROMBONES
Gordon Anderson
William Andresen
Byron Kistler
Hollis Becker

TUBA
William Lewis

CELESTA
Mary Chester

HARP
Margaret Hoffman

PIANO
Janet Sue Westbrook

PERCUSSION
Robert Bliss
Leland Slough
Alpha Jean Harthill
Robert Downey



Music Inspires

Music and its inspiration has meant a great deal to the community life of Elkhart through the work of the E. H. S. Band and Orchestra. Patriotic assemblages, concerts, Army-Navy Awards, contingents of departing draftees, dinners and various social and civic functions have all been inspired and uplifted by the music of the groups which have willingly gone out from the Music Department.

The official season of the band and orchestra was opened by the band's appearance at football games during the fall.

Four joint concerts were given throughout the year, with the traditional senior concert as a climax on June 8. Many soloists high-lighted these diversified performances which were given before capacity houses.

All arrangements for these concerts are made by the Music Parents Club. This organization is responsible for the sale of tickets, ushering at concerts, and helping with the forma-

tion of all the administrative policies for the music department.

Trips which for so long have characterized the activities of the band and orchestra are now almost entirely curtailed because of the war. However, the musicians were able to make their annual trip to Chicago to attend a concert by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.

On April 6 and April 21, Elkhart acted as host to local and district contests. Many of our students placed high in solos and ensembles in these events.

In recognition of the important contribution of the many groups which played for community functions, the Elkhart Lodge No. 425 Benevolent Order of Elks gave an excellent banquet for the musicians in May.

The band closed the year's activities by playing for the commencement exercises at Rice Field on Thursday, June 14.



Doc surrounded by the baton twirlers: Norma Shaver, Barbara Winesburg, Geneva Whitfield, and June Mossey, com-pahs, and the flag brigade: Nancy Wambaugh, Betty Wambaugh, Jane Patrick, and Janet Patrick.

Makes Practice Pleasant

The Regimental Band serves as a preparatory training group for the Concert Band. The Regimental and Concert

High School Regimental Band personnel:

Bill Anderson	Jim Galey	John Schultz
Tom Armstrong	Flora May Hall	Alice Stants
Joanne Ashby	Peggy Homan	Phil Stiver
Myrtis Becker	Bob Kane	Ray Stutsman
Lyle Bergstrom	Douglas Kauffman	Irene Swihart
Ronald Betts	Wayne King	Herbert Ulery
Richard Boynton	Bob Kistler	Jeffrey Welch
Bryce Bressler	Bob Lau	Jerry Williams
Bob Bressler	Bob McIntire	Gwen Wright
Bill Bugh	Harold McCreary	Dianne Shock
Ralph Canfield	Bill Monteith	Jack Stout
Mary Carusillo	Pat Nadolny	Leonard Johnson
Donald Clare	Marijane Park	Chester Thompson
Pat Costic	Raymond Reas	Donald Smith
Carl Cummings	Christine Rockwell	Albert DeHoff
Colleen Farrell	Franklin Rhude	
Bill Fronke	Jim Schaefer	

Bands unite in the fall to form the Marching Band which performs at football games. The members of this group made several public appearances during the winter playing for high school basketball games.



Mr. Kilberts' gang, the future member of the H. S. band . . . the tooters . . . no holiday for strings.

A Capella Choir



Choir personnel:

SOPRANOS

Jo Ann Artley
Ruth Beard
Mary Borneman
Ruth Cavanaugh
Barbara Dettwiler
Norma Eckstein
Rosemary Francisco
Emma Neal Gannon
Margret Good
Helen Heffner
Phyllis Hites
Katherine Keene
Mary Kidder
Gloria Kilmer
Geraldine Kurtz
Antoinette Lansche
Geraldine Minker
Audra Moyer
Jackie Oklitz
Mary Lou Pontius
Donna May Ritter
Barbara Rowe
Ruth Ann Sears
Joanne Shelley
Norma Smith

Janet Stahly
Colleen Stroud
Norma Troup
Pat Volkman
Billie Ruth Weaver
Evelyn Williams
Eileen Young
Joyce King
Judith Disney

ALTOS

Margaret Ernst
Nancy Gehrand
Shirley Gordon
Rita Holtz
Margret Horn
Wilma Massey
Doris Mohnssen
Carol Robbins
Marian Schuler
Jean Seegers
Mary E. Waterman
Velma Jackson
Mary Samuel

TENORS

Byron Haines
Bob Kaiser

Lyle Lichtenberger
Don Correll

BASSES

Edsel Best
Dick Gumper
Myron Haines

John Hull
Noel Moore
Jim Nye
Ernest Schult
Clair Swinehart
Charles Wine
Paul Andresen

The A Capella Choir of Elkhart High School has had a busy year under the direction of Miss Doris Corns.

On October 26, the choir, along with other choirs of Northern Indiana, sang at the state teachers' convention held in South Bend. Olaf Christiansen directed the massed chorus.

The choir was heard over station WTRC when they formed the musical background for the annual Christmas program, presented by the student body, preceding the Christmas vacation. The first public appearance of the choir was on December 10, when they gave a Christmas concert in the high school auditorium. The

singing for pleasure



Sixty pear-shaped tones.

following week they caroled in the vicinity of the high school.

As has been the custom, the choir presented a short concert for the Sunday Evening Club, February 18.

Several soloists and ensembles entered the all-city music contest held in the high school April 12 and 13.

The spring concert, presented on May 18, concluded the public appearances of the choir for this year. This program was divided into two parts: the latter, a musical comedy.

Members of the choir went to Notre Dame on the evening of April 8 for a performance of "Rigoletto," sponsored by the San Carlo Opera Association. Daily rehearsals are held the third hour at the Y.M.C.A. Officers of the choir elected for the school year are as follows: President, Barbara Rowe; vice president, Mary Samuel; secretary-treasurer, Norma Eckstein; assistant secretary-treasurer, Marilyn Darr.



The officers in harmony.

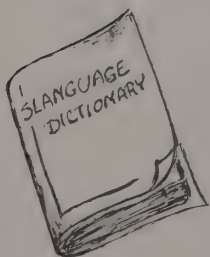
When we say . . .

"They're on the ball"

we mean that the Blue and White teams are smooth aggregations.

Sports are king-sized around E. H. S.

Fridays are special: you think about the game, you talk about the game; you feel elated, proud, thrilled to be a part of the enthusiasm, the tension, the spirit that is



Athletics



E. H. S. Athletic Association



The Elkhart Senior High School Coaching Staff.



The Physical Education Faculty.

JOHN LONGFELLOW—"John" completed his sixteenth year as head basketball coach at E. H. S. by piloting the Blazers through another good season in 1944-45. The squad chalked up a record of 18 wins and 4 losses. John is one of the school's busiest men, as, in addition to his basketball duties, he is chairman of the health and physical education and athletics departments.

HARRISON BERKEY—Ever since 1942, when Don Veller went into the Army, "Berk" has taken over as head football coach at E. H. S. and done a yoeman-like job with the team. His introduction this year of the "T" formation to the Blazer gridiron brought about a vastly-improved team and gave fans high hopes for the future.

CHELSEA BOONE—"Chelse", a permanent fixture in E. H. S. athletics completed his 22nd year as track coach. In addition, he coaches the cross country squad and is one of the physical fitness instructors.

RAYMOND SORENSEN—Under "Hap's" tutelage, the E. H. S. netters captured their third straight N.I.H.S.C. championship in as many years and their fourth since 1935. His squad has good prospects for next fall as they are losing only one letterman.

ROBERT EHRSAM—"Bob" took over the reins as head baseball coach in 1944 and turned out a fine team. Add this

to his fine reserve basketball teams and you must conclude that he knows his business and gets a lot out of the boys.

TONY CAMPAGNOLI—This hard-working efficient man has done a great job with Elkhart's line-play in the past years. Although he is little known, "Camp" is an indispensable cog in the Blazer football system.

MATTHEW RONZONE—Coming to Elkhart from Frankfort High School where he held an important position on the coaching staff, Matt is freshman basketball coach, assistant football coach and assistant track coach in addition to being a physical education instructor.

RILEY JORDAN—Without a doubt the best known man in school before any important athletic contest, "Riley" is also the man who has to say "no" to the most people. It is a great wonder how he manages to perform his duties as treasurer of the Athletic Association so efficiently in spite of his continual harassment by Blazer fans.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION STAFF

The physical education program at Elkhart High School is being carried out by a hard-working staff of instructors. Headed by John Longfellow, the group consists of Harrison Berkey, Chelsea Boone, Raymond Sorensen, Matthew Ronzone, Mrs. Wise and Miss Cart.

Sports Summary, 1944-1945

BASKETBALL

E. H. S. 59.....	Bristol	24
E. H. S. 38.....	Jimtown	23
E. H. S. 41.....	Middlebury	32
E. H. S. 21.....	S. B. Washington	19
E. H. S. 31.....	Goshen	29
E. H. S. 34.....	Auburn	33
E. H. S. 27.....	Hammond	22
E. H. S. 41.....	LaPorte	28
E. H. S. 40.....	Michigan City	35
E. H. S. 51.....	Warsaw	42
E. H. S. 40.....	Mishawaka	23
E. H. S. 38.....	S. B. Riley	39
E. H. S. 30.....	Fort Wayne North Side	25
E. H. S. 41.....	Nappanee	35
E. H. S. 31.....	Fort Wayne Central	38
E. H. S. 41.....	S. B. Central	48
E. H. S. 27.....	(overtime) Goshen	25
E. H. S. 31.....	(overtime) S. B. Adams	29

TOURNEY

E. H. S. 43.....	Wakarusa	36
E. H. S. 37.....	Goshen	26
E. H. S. 42.....	Concord	30
E. H. S. 29.....	Jimtown	41

2nd in Conference.

FOOTBALL

E. H. S. 38.....	Chicago Vocational	0
E. H. S. 40.....	Fort Wayne Central	6
E. H. S. 6.....	LaPorte	0
E. H. S. 7.....	S. B. Riley	52
E. H. S. 0.....	Mishawaka	19
E. H. S. 7.....	Michigan City	14
E. H. S. 32.....	Goshen	0
E. H. S. 44.....	F. W. North Side	0
E. H. S. 6.....	S. B. Central	33

Tie for 6th in Conference.

CROSS COUNTRY

E. H. S. 40.....	F. W. North Side	19
E. H. S. 15.....	LaPorte	45
E. H. S. 19.....	Mishawaka	35
E. H. S. 39.....	F. W. North Side	19
E. H. S. 22.....	Goshen	35
E. H. S. 15.....	Nappanee	45
E. H. S. 31.....	Mishawaka	24
E. H. S. 17.....	LaPorte	42
E. H. S. 18.....	Goshen	39
E. H. S. 25.....	Mishawaka	30
E. H. S. 28.....	Kalamazoo	28
E. H. S. 40.....	F. W. North Side	18

(underclass meet)

E. H. S. 26.....	Kalamazoo	30
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4th place in Conference.

BASEBALL

E. H. S. 4.....	Concord	0
E. H. S. 9.....	Nappanee	4
E. H. S. 5.....	Bristol	3
E. H. S. 14.....	Mishawaka	4
E. H. S. 6.....	LaPorte	1(c)
E. H. S. 4.....	S. B. Adams	2(c)
E. H. S. 1.....	S. B. Washington	2(c)
E. H. S. 8.....	Michigan City	1(c)
E. H. S. 4.....	Mishawaka	3(c)
E. H. S. 8.....	S. B. Central	4(c)

TRACK

Purdue Invitational (indoor)	34
E. H. S. 68 1/2.....	S. B. Central 40 5/8
E. H. S. 58.....	Ft. Wayne So. Side 51
E. H. S. 59.....	Mishawaka 50
E. H. S. 70.....	Goshen 39
E. H. S. 62 1/2.....	Ft. Wayne No. Side 46 1/2
E. H. S. at Muncie Relays	8
E. H. S. 65 1/2.....	S. B. Adams 51 1/2
E. H. S. 72.....	S. B. Riley 37
E. H. S. at Kokomo Relays	21
E. H. S. at E.N.I.H.S.C. (Champs) 55 1/2	
May 5 E.H.S. at Hammond (N.I.H.S.C.)	
May 8 S. B. Adams, Goshen (triangular)	
May 11 Sectional (night)—here	
May 15 Kalamazoo—there	
May 19 State Meet at Indianapolis	
May 21 Mishawaka—there	
May 23 S.B. Central (underclass)—here	
May 25 Mishawaka Relays at Mishawaka	

1st in conference.

TENNIS

No regular matches.	
Conference play was limited to one day	
tourney.	
E.N.I.H.S.C. Match	
E. H. S. 11.....	Michigan City 8
W.N.I.H.S.C. Match	
E. H. S. 5.....	E. Chicago Wash. 0

1st in Conference.



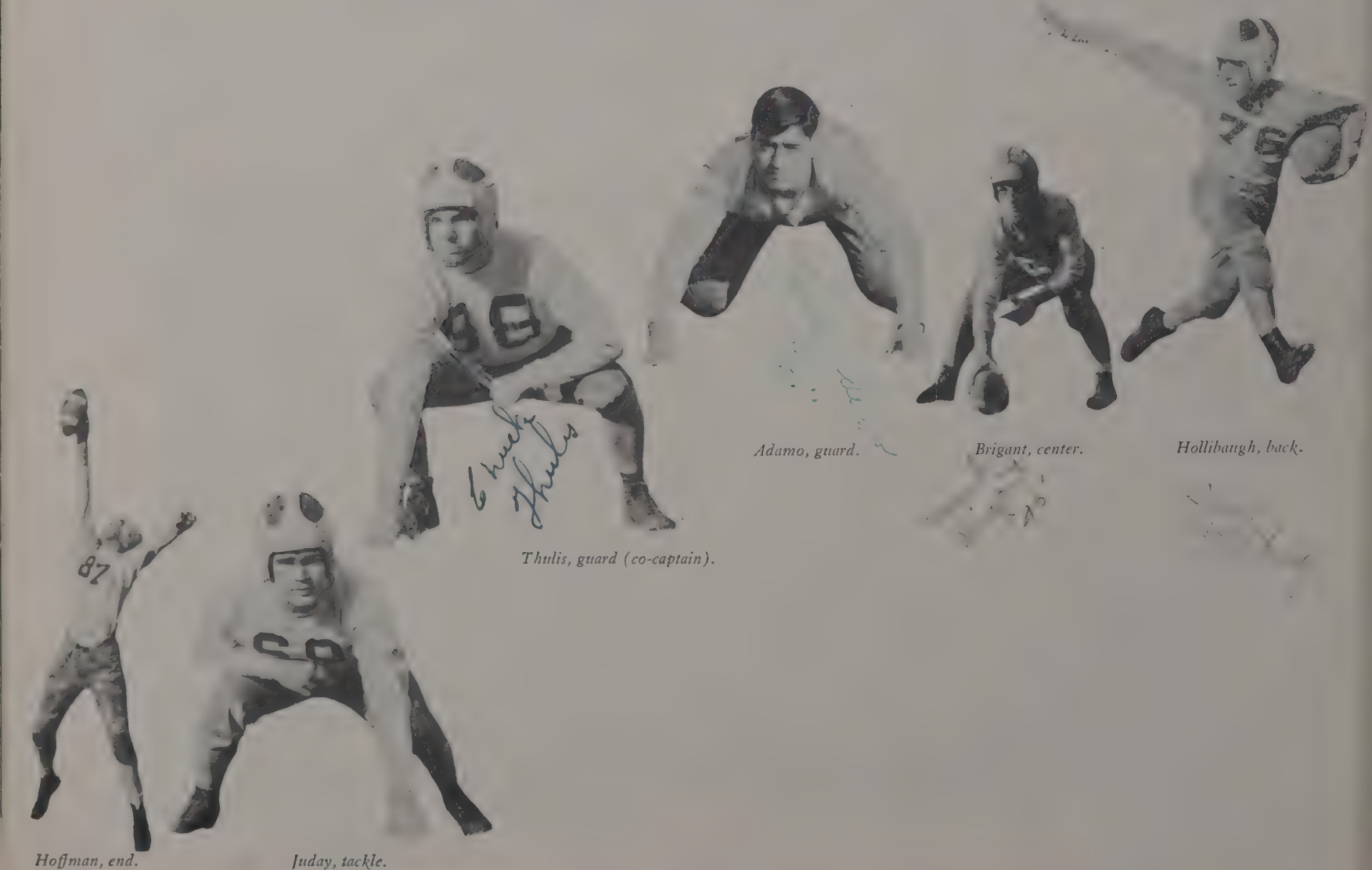
Four E-men.



The 1944 E. H. S. Varsity Football Squad:

Left to right, front row: Coach Harrison Berkey, Jim German, Morris Clement, Jim Hollibaugh, Stan Kauffman, Bob Nusbaum, Jack Diley, Gordon Stock, Jack Weaver, Irving Rosen, Bob Scheuer, Dick Juday, Charles Thulis, Assistant Coach Matt Ronzone and Assistant Coach S. A. Campagnoli. Second row: Bob Holmes, Winslow Stepheic, John Lucchese, John Carusillo, Tony Adamo, Bill King, Lavon Clark, Leo Hoffman, Charles Darling, Dick Klingler, Gene Herring, Paul Bradley, Rodney Anderson, and Paul Andresen. Third row: Dale Crofoot, Murvin Rodwick, Bill Unger, Dick Troup, Frank Brigant, David Le-

Rocque, Frank Bowman, Kenneth Parker, Firmer Merrick, Tom Nusbaum, Craig Frye, Jim Cavanaugh, Don Sellers, Glen Maurer, and Dick Simons. Fourth row: Bob Burkhead, Fremont Macumber, Tom Swihart, Tom Lang, Harold Rumell, Stan Workinger, James Broadbent, Norval Waldref, Melvin Keith, Russell Whisler, Fred Walters, Bill Troy, Bob Kaser, and Bob Kimes. Back row: Bill Wade, Manager Bob Bickert, Don Fuller, Manager Tom Romberger, Curtis Cocanower, Manager Walt Witwer, Jack Burt, Manager George White, Dean Paulus, Manager Jim Duwelius, Kenneth Miller, Manager Byron Haines, Marland Kalb, Manager Bill Johnson and Dick Munzenmaier.



Adamo, guard.

Brigant, center.

Hollibaugh, back.

Thulis, guard (co-captain).

Hoffman, end.

Juday, tackle.

Blue Blazers, 1944

The opening of the 1944 football season at Elkhart High School found the Blazers with a young but experienced eleven ready to face a difficult nine game schedule. Operating from a new "T" formation, the



Blue and White displayed a smooth, varied attack coupled with a defense which, although spotty at times, was featured by fighting spirit and determination. Even with a bad mid-season slump, the Blazers managed to hang on to a sixth place tie in the Conference standings. This was a creditable achievement as the Northern Indiana High School Conference has long been judged the toughest in the state.



Tense Moments on the bench.

Gridiron:

The Elkhart Blue Blazers opened the 1944 football season with a lopsided victory over Chicago Vocational High School. Demonstrating surprising strength and scoring almost at will, the Blazer squad showed considerable improvement over last year's team. Halfback Dick Klinger scored three first period touchdowns to lead the Blazers to a 38-0 victory.

Fort Wayne Central came to town as Elkhart's second opponent and were sent away with a stinging 40-6 defeat. The locals tore into the visiting squad and held command from the starting whistle, scoring 20 points in each half. This game proved to be a costly one however, as Paul Bradley, regular varsity fullback, suffered a head injury and was lost to the squad for the remainder of the season.

The Blazers traveled to LaPorte for their first conference game and, after a hard fought battle, managed to salvage a 6-0 victory. Elkhart, never in serious trouble, threatened the LaPorte goal line on several occasions, but each time lacked the necessary punch to put the ball across.

In their fourth game of the season, the Blazers ran into the South Bend Riley juggernaut and came out on the short

end of a 52-7 score. The Wildcats ran over the locals almost at will and proved virtually unstoppable. Elkhart's only score came on a pass from Quarterback Jack Weaver to Leo Huffman.

After holding Mishawaka to a 6-0 first half lead, the Blue and White finally succumbed to the Maroons' strong second half attack and lost the game 19-0. With a great demonstration of fighting spirit, the Blazers rebounded from the terrific beating of the previous week to show improvement in all departments of play.

The locals dropped their third straight conference game at Michigan City when the fighting Red Devils overcame an early Blue and White lead and then went ahead on a long pass in the closing minutes of the game to break up a 7-7 tie and take the game, 14-7.

Elkhart celebrated their big 50th anniversary game with a smashing 32-0 victory over the Goshen Redskins. Gaining full revenge for last year's defeat at the hands of their oldest rivals, the locals scored a touchdown apiece for the five members of Elkhart's 1894 squad who were honored at this game.



Come on, team; let's go!

Action Behind the Scenes

Playing in a driving rain-storm, the locals rolled over a hapless Fort Wayne North Side eleven, 44-0. The Indians fought hard but the Blazers, playing alert heads up ball, turned in one of their best games of the year. This victory gave the Blue and White squad a perfect record against the Fort Wayne schools, having defeated Fort Wayne Central earlier.



Spring practice, a good conditioner.

In the final game of the season, the Blazers managed to gain a surprise 6-0 first quarter lead over a heavily favored South Bend Central eleven before going down to defeat, 33-6. This setback climaxed a better than average season for the locals as they won 5 games out of 9 in their 50th season on the gridiron.

Although the Blazers had an average season last fall, the prospects for the next year's eleven stand out as being much better with the expected return of 10 lettermen from the 1944 squad.

The team spirit displayed this year was a credit to the school as the locals fought off a mid-season letdown and came roaring back to top form. The team played well as a coordinated unit with the new "T" formation giving snap and color to the Blazer offense.

Coach Berkey worked hard with the squad last fall and his coaching paid dividends in games won and the hard-fought, cleanly-contested games that were lost. Many of the boys who deserve a lot of the credit for the development of the squad will remain unnoticed; they played the part of

the workhorse as members of the lowly scrub teams. It will be these boys who will combine with the returning lettermen to give promise to the prospect of the team which will represent Elkhart Blue Blazers on the gridiron next fall.



Managers in action, checking equipment.

Most valuable, Klinger and "Berkey."

Hardwood Scenes

The Blazers opened the 1944-45 season with a victory over Bristol, 59-24, and then defeated Jimtown and Middlebury, two more strong country schools, 38-23, and 41-32, respectively.

Elkhart's first conference victory was chalked up against a surprisingly powerful South Bend Washington squad which put up a strong battle from start to finish. The Blazers finally came from behind to win, 21-19.

The same week, the Blazers traveled to Goshen and extended their win streak over their all-time rivals to six games, defeating them in another close contest, 31-29.

The Blazer squad moved down to Auburn to defeat the Red Devils in one of the most exciting games of the season, edging the home team, 34-33.

Next on the schedule came Hammond High, a tall, aggressive, ball-hawking team. The Blazers came through again to hand the Wildcats a 27-22 defeat.

Elkhart chalked up its second conference victory over LaPorte, 41-28.

The following week the Blazers trounced a well-publicized Michigan City team, 40-35, to chalk up their third straight conference win.

The Blue and White quintet came back the following evening to defeat the Warsaw Tigers, 51-42.

Playing top-notch ball, the Blazers remained unbeaten by overwhelming a strong Mishawaka team, 40-23, for their fourth conference win and eleventh straight victory in the 1944-45 season.

The Blazers went down to their first loss of the year, losing to a tall, hard-fighting S. B. Riley squad, 39-38.

In their next game, the Blazers met a fast-improving Ft. Wayne North aggregation and won, 30-25.

On the following Friday, the Blazers took on a small but fast Nappanee team, winning 41-35, for their sixth conference win out of seven attempts.

Taking their second road trip to Ft. Wayne, Elkhart was upset by a strong Ft. Wayne Central five, 38-31.

The Blazers' next game was a conference tilt with the South Bend Central Bears who handed the locals their second conference loss, 48-41.

The next to last game of the year resulted in a thrill-packed overtime contest with Goshen, the Blazers coming out on top, 27-25.

The last regular season game was with South Bend Adams, the Blazers edging the Eagles in another overtime thriller, 31-29.



Team in action, Leo gets the tip.



Practice pays off, "Red" helps Blazers edge Adams.

Squad in Action

TOURNAMENT

Elkhart again drew the longest and hardest road to the sectional championship although the Blazers were favored to repeat last year's win.

Playing on the first night of the tourney, the Blazers again drew their lead-off opponents of last year's sectionals, Wakarusa. After a slow start, the locals trounced the Indians, 43-36.

The following evening, Elkhart met the Goshen Redskins for the third time during the season and routed them, 37-26.

Saturday afternoon, the Blazers met a small but inspired Concord team in the semi-finals. After a hard battle, the Blue and White came out on top, 42-30.

In the final game, the Blazers met a hard fighting Jimtown five. The Jimmies, tourney darkhorse, engineered the biggest upset of the sectionals, defeating the Blazers, 41-29.

The 1944-45 Blazer team was probably the best Elkhart team never to win a championship. The season wasn't a poor one, the locals winning eighteen out of twenty-two games.

Robert Weldy was named captain of the team and also was awarded the "most valuable" trophy at the annual E. H. S. Basketball Banquet.

Next year's prospects look particularly promising as the Blazers have five returning members of this year's tourney ten, led by high-scoring Tom Kern, tall Leo Hoffman and dependable Jim Swarts.

Although Coach Bob Ehram's reserve squad lost only one game during the season, that loss cost them the Reserve Conference Championship. They were edged out by a strong South Bend Central five, which remained undefeated throughout season play to take the East Northern Indiana High School Reserve Championship Crown. The Short-fellows took undisputed possession of second place.

The second team was composed almost entirely of sophomores and freshmen who will be on hand to provide some able replacements for the varsity five in the next few years.

Over 500 boys participated in the newly-organized intramural basketball league, which was organized last December. Major, minor and bush league teams were formed in Elkhart High School and Central and Roosevelt Junior High Schools. The Freshman A team carried off top honors, winning the High School Major Interclass League. The Freshmen also played in some out-of-town games against Mishawaka, Nappanee, Madison, and Goshen. At a Freshman tourney held in the E. H. S. gym, the Elkhart boys came out on top, beating Goshen in the finals.



Managers at work, keeping the balls clean.



Alertness counts, Blazers get the jump.



Varsity Basketball Squad—1944:

Left to right, front row: Mgr. Bill Patterson, Tom Kern, Jim Swarts, Leo Hoffman, Bob Weldy, Gordon Stock, Jack Diley, Mgr., Bob Esberg. Back row: Coach John Longfellow, Bob Primavera, Charles Walker, Charles Darling, Russell Williamson, Dick Brown, Jack Weaver.



Russell Williamson, guard.

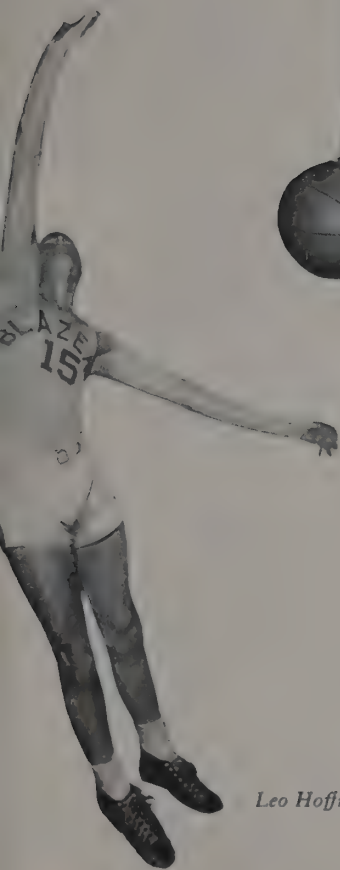
Jack Weaver, guard.

Tom Kern, guard.

Jack Diley, guard.

Gordon Stock, guard.

Varsity 1944-45



Leo Hoffman, center.



Bob Primavera, forward.



Dick Brown, forward

*Dick Brown
"46"*



Jim Swarts, forward-center



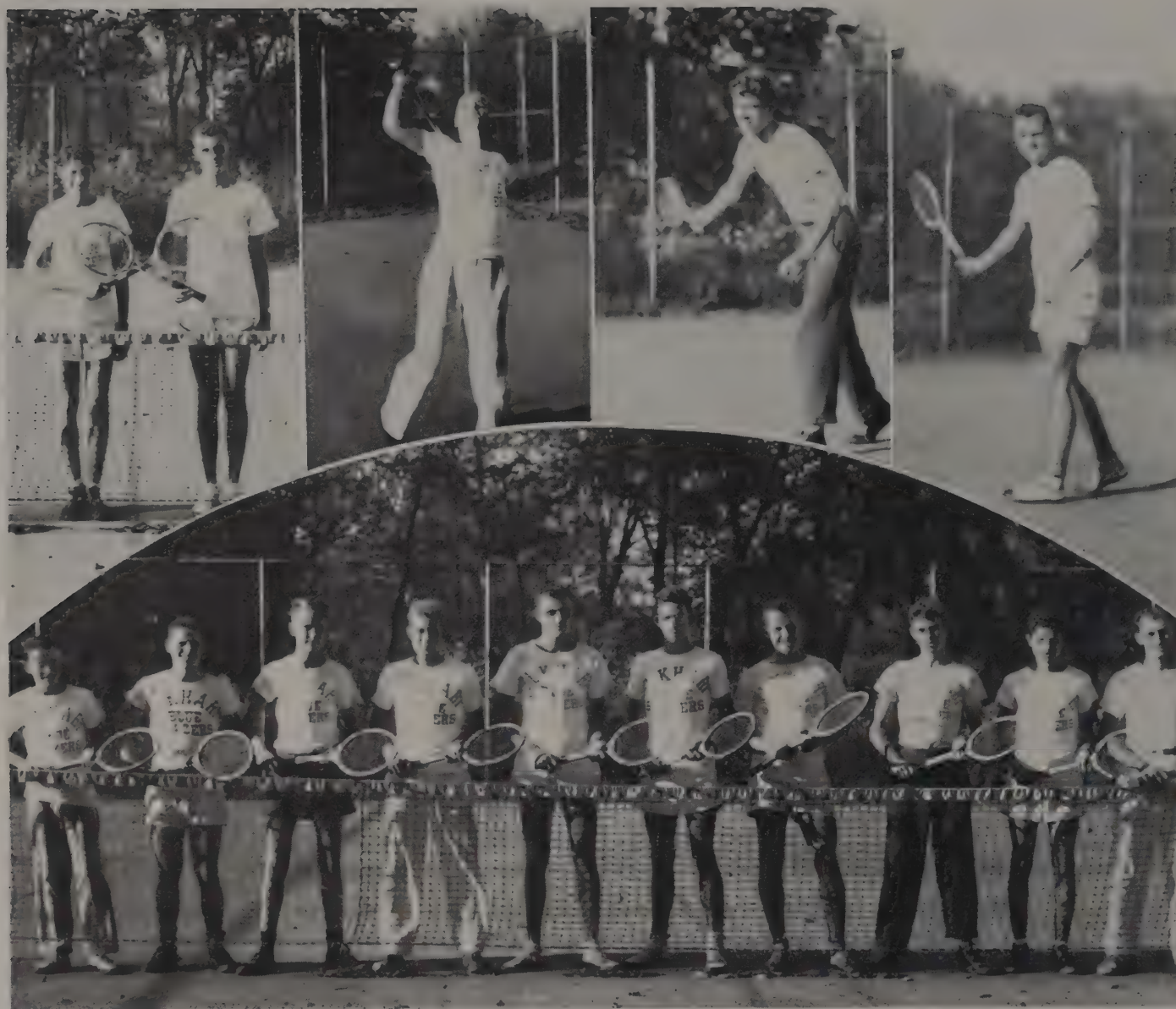
Bob Weldy, forward (captain).

*Howie
Rich
Laurie
Richter*

Shortfellows, E. H. S. Second Team; Freshman A, Interclass Champs.



Champs Again



E. H. S. Net Squad, left to right, top row: Schwartz, Rish, Walker, Bugh, Borneman. Bottom row: Beaver, Rosen, Wharton, Bugh, Rish, Denlinger, Borneman, Walker, Schwartz, Coach Sorenson.

Adding another conference championship to the string of victories begun in 1942, the Elkhart High School net squad captured their third straight Northern Indiana High School Conference crown. This win was the fourth championship title won by E. H. S. net squads under the tutelage of Coach Raymond "Hap" Sorenson during his reign as tennis mentor at Elkhart which began in 1935.

Due to travel restrictions, the entire East Northern Indiana High School Conference season was reduced to a one-day tournament held at Rice Field on October fourth.

Captain Bill Borneman and Charles Walker won the No. 2 and No. 3 singles matches to gain six points for the

Blazers; Bob Bugh, playing No. 1 in singles play won two games before losing to Roger Schofield of Michigan City in the final game to add two more points to the Elkhart total. Charles Schwartz and Dick Rish swept the doubles matches to give the Blazers a winning total of eleven points. By winning the E.N.I.H.S.C. crown the netters earned the right to meet the West Division champs.

Later in the season the same five players journeyed to Gary, Indiana, and blanked the West Division winners, East Chicago Washington, 5-0.

The prospects for the 1945 season appear bright as all but Capt. Bill Borneman of the year's championship squad will remain.

Boonemen

Coach C. C. Boone's thinlies were faced with the largest season schedule in E. H. S. track history at the beginning of the spring campaign. Prospects were none too good, although three members of last year's half-mile and mile relay squads, which placed fourth and fifth in the state meet, are back. Some fifty recruits turned out for the opening drills in the gym.

The 1945 squad headed by Captain Gordon Stock and built around six returning lettermen shaped up as follows:

100-yard dash—Marvin Owens, Leo Hoffman, Bob Brown

220-yard dash—Leo Hoffman, Phillip Lux, Dick Brown

440-yard dash—Bob Brown, Bill Troy, Craig Davis

880-yard run—Ken Hoon, Bill Borneman, Keith Hall

Mile run—Bill Bohs, Jim Scheuer, Charles Laughman

120-yard high hurdles—Gordon Stock, Jim Swarts

200-yard low hurdle—Gordon Stock, Jim Swarts

High jump—Jim Swarts, Dick Brown, Phillip Lux

Broad jump—Dick Aiken, Walt Witwer

Shot put—Dick Juday, Bill King

Pole vault—Gordon Stock, Burt Boomershine, Max Reynolds, Maynard Schenk

Half-Mile relay—Leo Hoffman, Bob Brown, Gordon Stock, Phillip Lux, Marvin Owens

Mile relay—Bill Trop, Craig Davis, Bill Borneman, Kenneth Hoon.

Brown sprints the quarter.



"Cork" clears the highs.



He-man, Abe sets for a heave.



Blazer track squad, always in motion.

Harriers of 1944

Bolstered by the return of six lettermen, the Elkhart High School harriers ran through their season's schedule, winning eight meets, losing four and tying one.

Getting off to a slow start, the Blue Streaks dropped a 40-19 decision to Fort Wayne North Side's "Cross Country Kings".

The harriers overwhelmed LaPorte, 15-45, and Mishawaka, 19-35, before encountering Fort Wayne North Side and another defeat, 39-19.

The Blue Streaks added to their victory string by defeating Goshen, 22-35, and Nappanee, 15-45 before losing to Mishawaka's Maroons, 31-24.

LaPorte and Goshen were trounced, 17-42, and 18-24, respectively.

The thinlies gained revenge for a previous defeat, turning the tables on Mishawaka, 25-30.

The Blue Streaks suffered a slight slump near the end of the season when they were held to a tie by Kalamazoo, 28-28, and suffered their third defeat at the hands of Fort Wayne North Side in an underclass meet, 40-18. The harriers finished 4th in the Northern Indiana High School Conference meet at Gary.

Jim Swihart led the thinlies throughout the season. Other team members winning letters were Stuart Murray, who followed Swihart in nearly every meet, Dick Wylie, a very dependable runner, and Bill Bohs, John Bilancio, Jim Scheuer, Cliff Murray, and Jim Dunnick.

Bill Bohs and John Bilancio were chosen as co-captains of the 1945 squad.



Captain Swihart leads . . . the pack follows.

Long legs and long strides.

Diamond Dope

Bolstered by the return of six lettermen, Bob Ehrsam's Blazer baseball squad looked ahead to the spring conference season with high hopes, for at least a share of the conference crown.

The squad, with a seasoned player at every spot, gives every indication that they are a power to be reckoned with in E.N.I.H.S.C. play.

Every member of the varsity nine played during the fall season when the Blazers swamped a supposedly powerful Middlebury team 16-1 and then went on to defeat an unbeaten Jimtown outfit 6-0 and Concord 4-2. Their only loss was to a surprising Bristol nine 6-4 in the last game of the fall season.

With Jim Swarts, Tom Kern, Red Weldy, Bob Primavera, Paul Verhagen and Dick Brown left from last spring's powerful Blazer team, the locals look forward to a successful season.

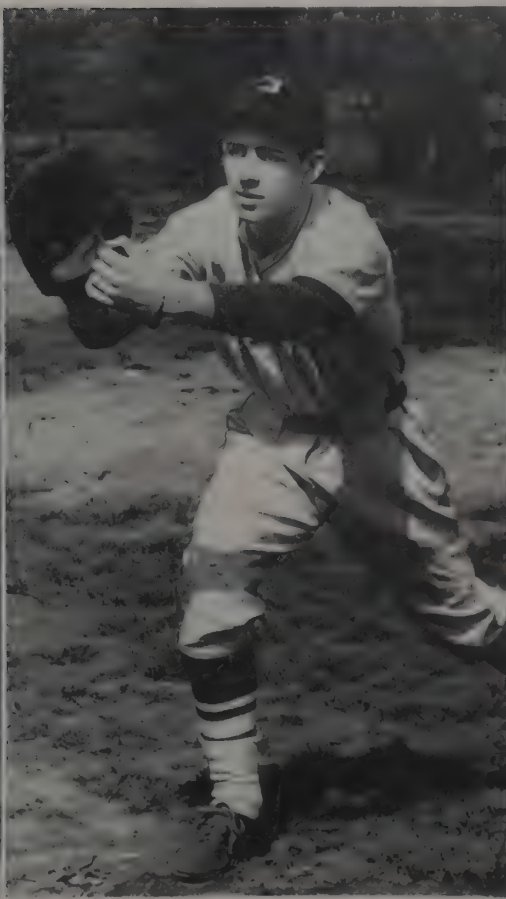
This year's schedule is:

April 20	LaPorte (There)
April 24	Adams (Here)
April 27	Washington (There)
May 1	Central (There)
May 8	Michigan City (Here)
May 11	Mishawaka (There)
May 15	Nappanee (There)
May 18	Riley (Here)

*Brown gets set for a sizzler.
Battery mates, Kern and Swartz.*



Weldy covers the sack.



Fly shaggers, Primavera and Verhagen.



Physical Education

Our school strives to keep this department in step with our other educational opportunities and requirements. Credit in health and physical education is required for graduation both by state and local requirements. Correlated health, safety and physical education classes in the 9th year are

followed by twice per week physical education classes in the sophomore year and by daily physical fitness classes for boys in the junior and senior years.

The limited facilities of the High School Gym are supplemented by leasing the Y.M.C.A. and Pool and the Obstacle Course on West High Street.

The well-planned program includes individual testing, rhythms, marching, tumbling, calisthenics, combatives, competitive games, apparatus work, swimming, life saving, first aid, endurance runs and fundamentals of sports.

Individual records of height, weight and achievement tests are kept and grades and awards are given on the results obtained. Some very good records have been made in physical fitness and our course is rated one of the state's best.



Hap says, "Toe the mark"



Doing daily sit-ups . . .



and rhythm jumps

Prepares for the Future

More girls than ever before participated in the regular Physical Education program this year as a result of an increased requirement. Classes were held in both the High School and Y. W. C. A. Gymnasia.

An effort was made to provide a well-rounded program of activities to meet the needs of Elkhart High School girls. This program consisted of not only body-conditioning activities—calisthenics, posture work, marching and rhythm fundamentals—but also various major sports, basketball, volleyball, softball and badminton. The emphasis in the latter was placed on skill, sportsmanship, and team play and recreative

value, with the hope that the knowledge gained might be carried over into out-of-school recreation.

In the future, the program will be extended through the school, with all girls taking required courses. Post war plans in the matters of gyms and equipment will make possible many of the aims of the Physical Education Department.

Play Day — Bristol vs. Elkhart



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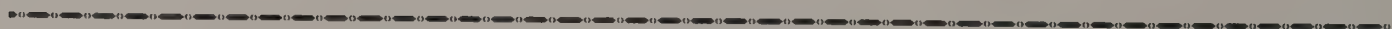
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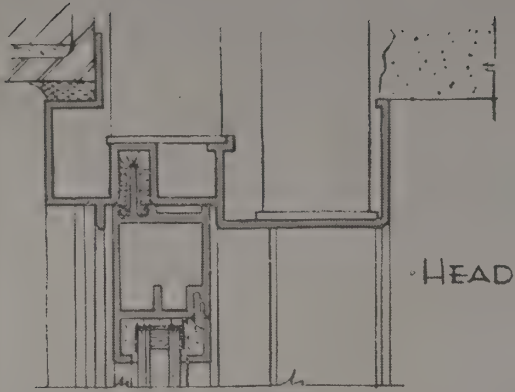
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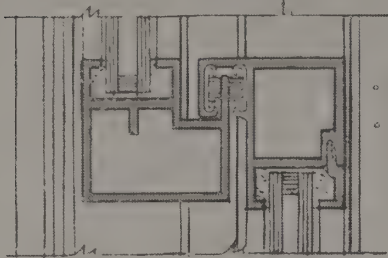
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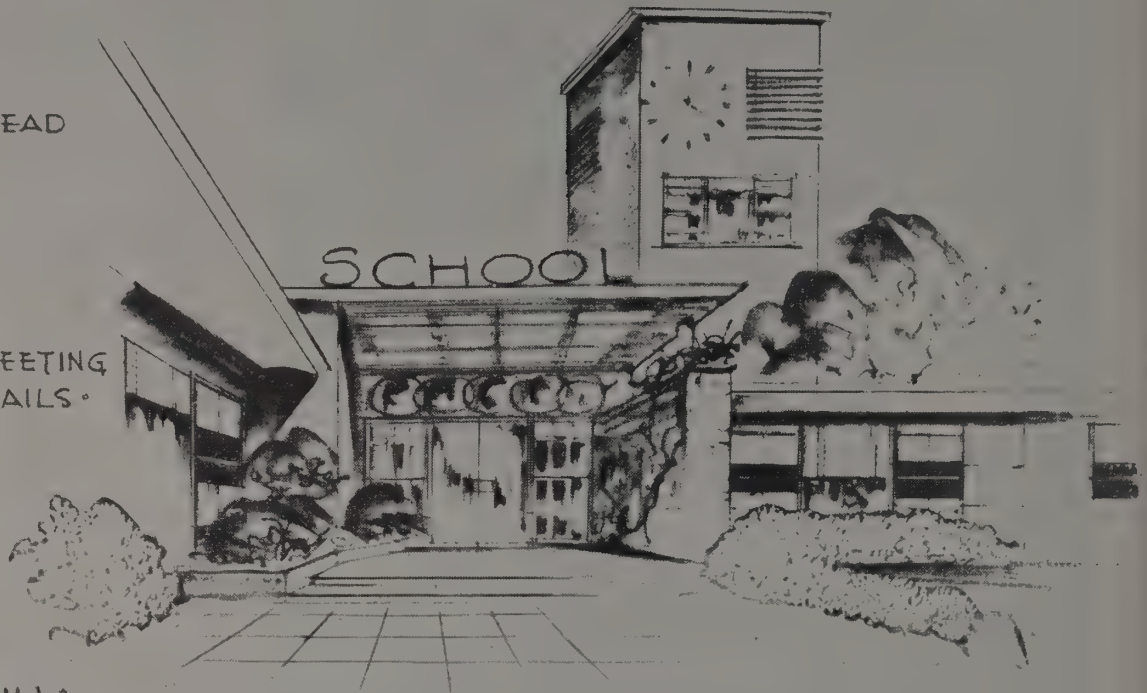
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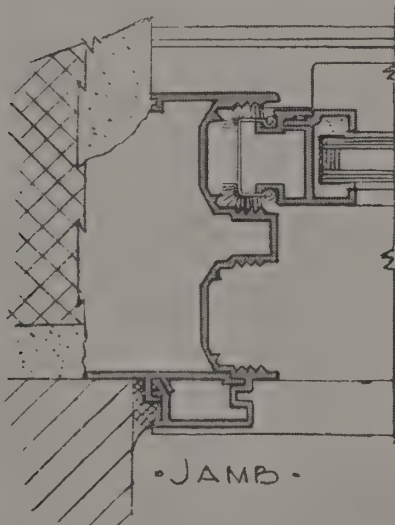


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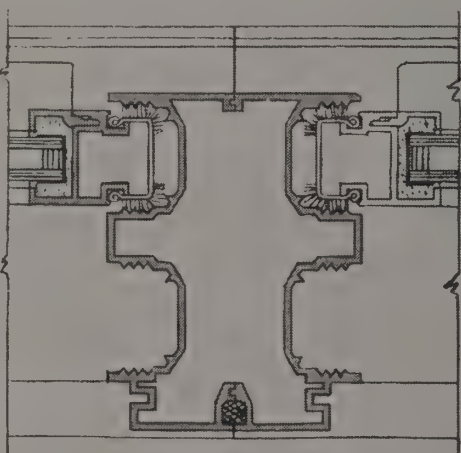


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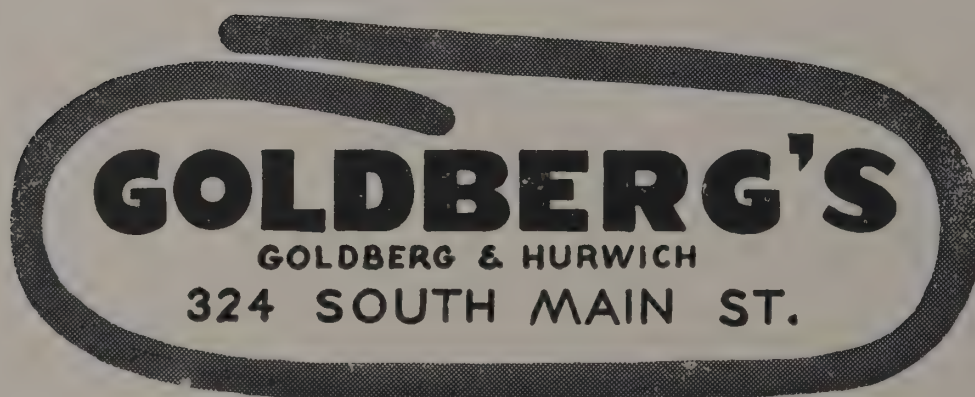
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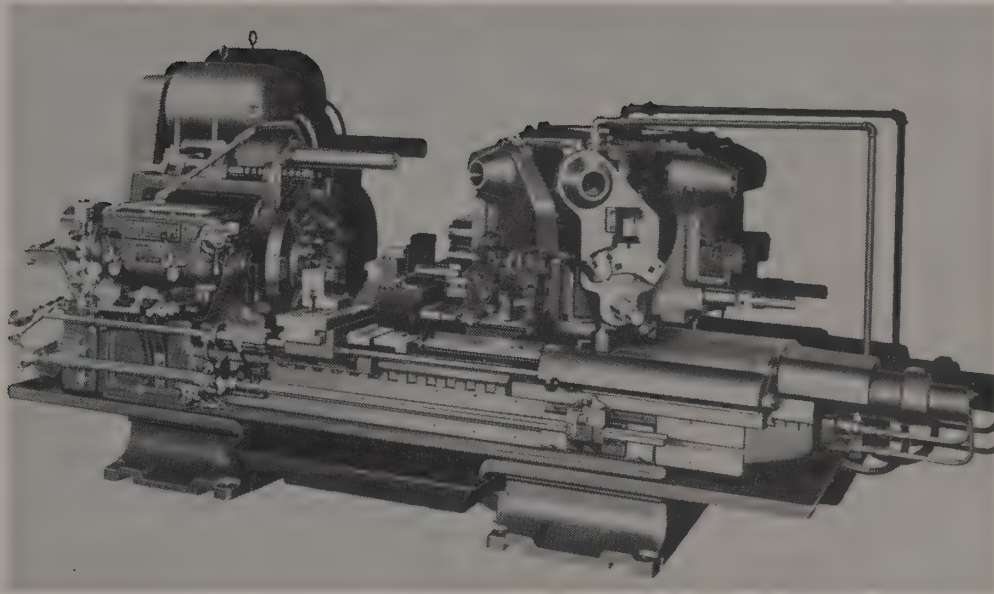
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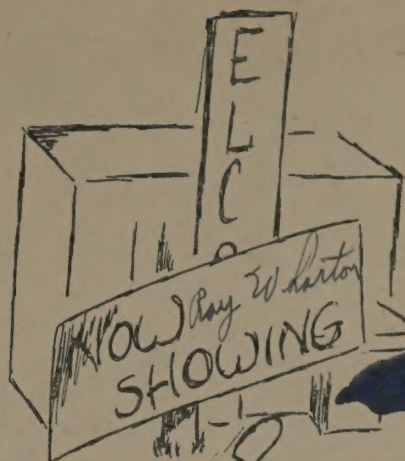
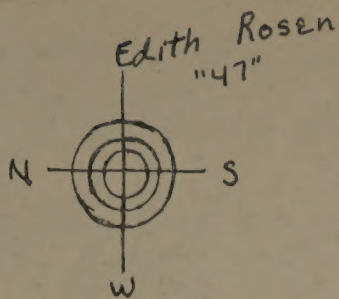
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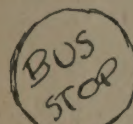
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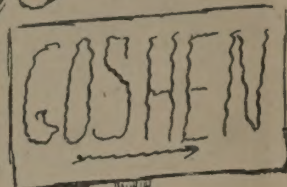
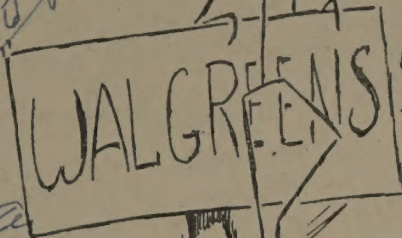
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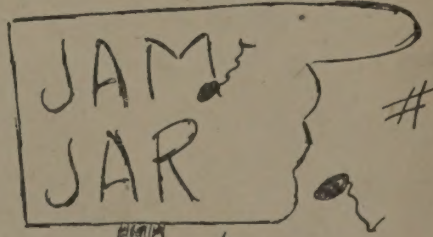
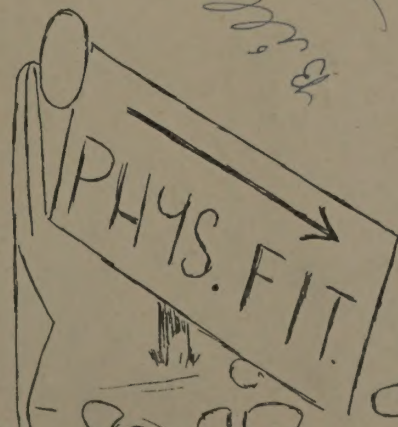
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